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Bank Clearings for Individual Cities-July 1951 and 195

| Important Monthly is | ndicators | | | Bank Clearin | gs for Individual | Cities-July 19 | 51 and 195 | 0 |
|--|--|---|---|--|--|--|---|--|
| INDUSTRIAL | July 1951 | July 1950 | June 1951 | | t Thous ands | of Dollars) | | |
| Anthrecite Production inet tons | 2,790 | 2.855 | 2.742 | | July 1951 | July 1950 | Change | June 1951 |
| Bituminous Coal Prod. (net tons) | 34,462 | 35,109 | 3,743 | Boston | 2,219,698 | 1.964.850 | + 13.0 | 2,322,713 |
| Construction Contracts (\$1 | 1,379,830 | 1,420,181 | 1,406,932 | Philadelphia | 4,400,000 | 4,109,000 | + 7.1 | 4,537,000 |
| Capper Production ret. Inet tons i | 93,258 | 96,758 | 105,127 | Buffalo | 432,477 | 379,773 | + 13.9 | 439,576 |
| Copper Deliveries ret. inet tons l | 101,095 | 96,006 | 114,103 | Pittsburgh | 1,480,258 | 1,355,110 | + 9.2 | 1.544.424 |
| Newsprint Production (net tons) Newsprint Shipments Inet tons! | 540,896 | 525,382 | 558,405 | Cleveland | 1,795,306 | 1,443,652 | + 24.4 | 1,794,002 |
| Rayon Yarn Deliveries (pounds) | 79,000 | 548,772 | 572,050 83,500 | Cincinneti | 898,663 | 840,560 | + 6.9 | 901,515 |
| Steel ingot Production Inet tons 1 | 8.696 | 8,083 | 8,658 | Richmond | 603,035 | 542,296 | + 11.2 | 1,134,062 |
| Zinc Production inet tonsi | 78,955 | 77,868 | 77,679 | Atlanta | 1,192,583 | 985,600 | + 21.0 | 652,816 |
| Zinc Shipments inet tonsi | 83,346 | 84,116 | 79,299 | New Orleans | 589,599 | 539.763 | + 9.2 | 580,424 |
| | | | | Memphis | 303,553 | 371,321 | + 3.3 | 386,006 |
| | June | June | May | Chicago | 3,620,713 | 3,329,414 | + 8.7 | 3,593,322 |
| | 1951 | 1950 | 1951 | Detroit | 2,199,849 | 1,928,803 | + 14.1 | 2,280,974 |
| Production Industrial (FRB) 1935-39=100 | 222.0 | 199.0 | 223.0 | Louisville | 1,307,474 | 558,174 | + 4.6 | 1,306,870 |
| factory Employment (BL511939=100 | 158.6 | 147.3 | 158.6 | Minneapolis | 1,234,075 | 1,157,557 | + 6.8 | 1,278,444 |
| Factory Payrolls (BLS11939=100 | 434.2 | 362.7 | 428.3 | Kansas City | 1,287,421 | 1,489,354 | - 13.6 | 1,366,660 |
| Cement Production therreis | 21,984 | 20,001 | 21,925 | Omaha | 608,776 | 567,142 | · 7.3 | 611,524 |
| Cement Shipments (barrels) | 24,935 | 24,749 | 24,894 | Denver | 546,739 | 488,259 | + 12.0 | 564,265 |
| Cigarette Production funits | 32,042 | 32,771 | 32,776 | Dallas | 1,238,089 | 1,228,387 | + 0.8 | 1,322,579 |
| Coke Production inet tonsi | 6,575 | 6,238 | 832,612 | San Francisco | 2,160,048 | 1,002,795 | + 8.5 | 1,165,593 |
| Electricity Production (ke-hours) | 34,966 | 31,600 | 35,136 | Portland, Ore | 635,519 | 735,653 | + 20.2 | 2,316,880 720,652 |
| teed Production primary inet tonsi | 39,952 | 44,490 | 44,951 | Seaffle | 651,003 | 583,002 | + 11.7 | 718,279 |
| Lead Shipments Inet tons ! | 40,041 | 35,774 | 40,963 | | | | | |
| Motor Vehicles, Factory Sales U. S | 617,676 | 856,614 | 652,727 | Total 24 Cities | 32,320,107 | 29,659,776 | + 9.0 | 33,324,884 |
| Pig Iron Production Inet tons | 5,978 | 5,633 | 6,173 | New York | 34,184,339 | 30,534,802 | + 12.0 | 36,509,772 |
| Rubber Consumption (long tons) | 107,668 | 111,941 | 109,006 | * * * * ** *** | | | | |
| Tires - Production funits) | 7,222 | 8,455 | 6,730 | Total 25 Cities | 66,504,446 | 60,194,578 | + 10.5 | 69,834,656 |
| | May 1951 | May 1950 | Apr. 1951 | Bank Clearings | for Individual (| Cities 7 Month | s 1951 and | 1950 |
| | 1321 | 1920 | 1001 | Pann Brearings | 101 11101110001 | | | |
| Gesoline Production (barrels) | 96,811 | 84,801 | 87,319 | | | of Dollarsi | | |
| Gasoline Production (barrels) | | | | | | | % Change | 7 Months 1949 |
| Petroleum Production (barrels) | 96,811 191,628 199,521 | 84,801 159,441 171,599 | 87,319 183,000 185,488 | | Thousands 7 Months | of Dollarsi 7 Months 1950 | % Change | 1949 |
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| Petroleum Production (barrels). • • Petroleum Consumption (barrels). • • Wool Consumption (pounds). • • FINANCIAL Bank Debits, Total U. S. (\$1 | 96,811 191,628 199,521 48,600 July 1951 10,756 43,224 67,312 56,402 312,569 53,122,569 51,225 22,219,000 27,990 June 1951 1,278,600 929,900 | 84,801 150,441 171,599 57,000 38,509 38,737 59,732 113,042 20,1855 52,980 20,4855 52,980 20,4855 52,980 1950 877,900 686,700 1,285,000 | 87,319 183,488 47,000 185,488 47,000 June 1951 120,098 48,598 72,110 24,750 24,750 25,403 22,995,000 27,402 5,970 Mey 1951 1,318,600 1,017,700 1,017,700 | Boffon Philadelphia Buffalo Prifisburgh Cleveland Cleveland Belfimore Richmond Aflanta Nes Offeans Memphis Octool St. Louis Louisville Minneapolls Konsas City Denver Dallas Hous fon Sen Francisco Forfiand, Ore | 17 Months 1951 16, 786, 144 32, 589, 000 3, 166, 371 16, 695, 648 6, 531, 648 | of Dollars I 7 Manths 1950 12,931,179 28,547,090 9,232,405 6,792,394 6,725,394 6,725,394 7,711,800 8,115,701,800 | \$\ \text{Change} \ \text{20.4} \\ \text{14.2} \\ \text{20.4} \\ \text{15.8} \\ \text{20.3} \\ \text{16.0} \\ \text{20.3} \\ \text{13.2} \\ \text{20.3} \\ \text{13.4} \\ \text{22.3} \\ \text{13.6} \\ \text{22.3} \\ \text{13.6} \\ \text{22.13} \\ \text{23.2} \\ \text{23.3} \\ \text{23.2} \\ \ | 1949 13,078,626 20,113,000 2,349,616 8,882,964 8,882,964 8,982,984 8,982,984 8,337,586 3,334,340 3,728,133 2,556,265 20,880,518 1,256,456 7,266,456 7,266,474 8,772,750 8,772,750 8,340,921 2,878,347 7,010,412 6,032,037 |
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Summary of Bank Clearings-Monthly-1948 to Date

(Millions of Dollers)

| | Total | 1 25 Unite | d States C | ities | Dat | ly Average | Benk Cies | rings | Total 24 Cities Excluding N. Y. C. | | | |
|-----------|--------|------------|------------|---------|---------|------------|-----------|---------|------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1948 | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1948 | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1948 |
| January | 77,220 | 59,964 | 58,314 | 60,040 | 2,970.0 | 2,398.5 | 2,332.6 | 2,309.2 | 37,297 | 27,932 | 27,697 | 28,889 |
| february | 61.086 | 52,676 | 50,335 | 51,914 | 2.776.6 | 2,394.4 | 2,288.0 | 2,359.7 | 30,126 | 24,425 | 23,947 | 24,367 |
| March | 76,725 | 63,508 | 60,796 | 62.712 | 2,841.7 | 2,352.2 | 2,251.7 | 2.322.7 | 35,743 | 29,616 | 28,882 | 28,869 |
| Apr 11 | 69,468 | 55,683 | 54,166 | 59,310 | 2,778.3 | 2,227.3 | 2,083.3 | 2,281.1 | 33,563 | 26,267 | 25,945 | 27,466 |
| May | 69,020 | 61,357 | 55,145 | 55,898 | 2,654.6 | 2,359.9 | 2,025.8 | 2,235.9 | 34,005 | 29,021 | 25.711 | 26,431 |
| Jung | 09.835 | 64,094 | 59,526 | 62,694 | 2,685.9 | 2,465.1 | 2,289.5 | 2,411.3 | 33,325 | 30,658 | 26,886 | 28,721 |
| July | 66,504 | 60,195 | 54,003 | 59.032 | 2,660.2 | 2,407.8 | 2,160.1 | 2,270.5 | 32,320 | 29,660 | 26,848 | 28,202 |
| August | ***** | 69,600 | 55,060 | 55,903 | ****** | 2,577.8 | 2,039.3 | 2,150.1 | ***** | 32,522 | 26,345 | 27,654 |
| September | | 66,411 | 56,196 | 58,448 | ****** | 2,656.4 | 2,247.8 | 2,337.9 | | 31,987 | 26,772 | 28,573 |
| October | | 69,999 | 56,054 | 58,863 | ****** | 2,800.0 | 2,242.2 | 2,354.5 | ***** | 34,446 | 27,466 | 29,112 |
| November | | 66,678 | 55,531 | 57,675 | ****** | 2,778.2 | 2,414.4 | 2,507.6 | | 33,078 | 26,886 | 29,084 |
| December | ***** | 71,821 | 63,705 | 67,518 | ****** | 2,872.9 | 2,450.2 | 2,596.9 | | 33,063 | 28,003 | 31,087 |
| Total | ***** | 761,985 | 678,832 | 710,008 | | 2,524.2 | 2,235.4 | 2,344.8 | ***** | 362,676 | 319,990 | 338,454 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Summary of Industrial and Commercial Failures-Monthly-1948 to Date

| | | Number of Fallures | | Curren | Current Liabilities (000 Omitted) | | Total Liabilities | | es 1000 Q | 1000 Omitted! | | |
|-----------|------|--------------------|-------|--------|-----------------------------------|----------|-------------------|-----------|-----------|---------------|----------|----------|
| | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1948 | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1948 | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1948 |
| Jenuery | 775 | 864 | 566 | 356 | \$21,685 | \$20,436 | \$19,159 | \$12,965 | \$21,912 | \$26,556 | \$19,159 | \$13,010 |
| februery | 599 | 811 | 685 | 417 | 16,009 | 22,156 | 27,567 | 25,619 | 16,414 | 22,585 | 27,695 | 26,338 |
| Merch | 732 | 884 | 8.47 | 477 | 17,652 | 27,900 | 37,188 | 17,481 | 17,652 | 28,310 | 38,284 | 17,554 |
| April | 593 | 806 | 877 - | 404 | 17,064 | 21,250 | 31,930 | 15,296 | 18,054 | 21,500 | 33,899 | 15,378 |
| Mey | 755 | 874 | 775 | 426 | 23,504 | 22,672 | 24,583 | 13,814 | 23.641 | 22,856 | 24,620 | 14,513 |
| Jung | 699 | 725 | 828 | 463 | 22,773 | 18,072 | 28,161 | 12,163 | 23,143 | 23,085 | 29,279 | 12,163 |
| July | 665 | 694 | 719 | 420 | 21.088 | 19,538 | 21,604 | 13,876 | 21,532 | 19.538 | 22,494 | 14,026 |
| August | *** | 787 | BIO | 439 | | 16,448 | 31,175 | 21,442 | ***** | 18,717 | 31,720 | 21,442 |
| September | | 648 | 732 | 398 | ***** | 15,254 | 20,598 | 20,703 | | 15,254 | 20,648 | 20,885 |
| October | *** | 707 | 802 | 459 | ***** | 10,049 | 23,894 | 25,114 | | 16,708 | 24,129 | 27,229 |
| No ember | | 683 | 835 | 460 | | 18.864 | 22,799 | 24,416 | ***** | 18,904 | 23,496 | 25,059 |
| December | | 679 | 770 | 531 | ***** | 21,044 | 19,251 | 31,731 | ***** | 21,044 | 19,432 | 32,072 |
| | | | 0.044 | c ore | | **** *** | 4300 100 | **** **** | | ***** | | 4020 440 |

United States Wholesale Commodity Price Index

Bureau of Labor Statistics

United States Department of Labor Weekly Index of Wholesale Commodity Prices (1926=100)

| Commodity Groups: | July 31 1951 | July 24 1951 | July 17 1951 | 10 1951 | July 3 1951 | Aug. 1 |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------|-------------------|-----------|
| All Commodifies | 177.9 | 178.0 | 178.7 | 179.7 | 180.2 | 165.9 |
| form Products | 189.9 | 189.0 | 191.5 | 196.3 | 197.6 | 179.3 |
| Grains | | | | | 176.5 | |
| Livestock | | | | | 265.0 | |
| Foods | 186.0 | 185.0 | 186.4 | 186.2 | 187.2 | 174.7 |
| Meats | 275.3 | 274.4 | 275.0 | 275.6 | 275.6 | 257.9 |
| All Commodities Other Than | | | | | | |
| Ferm and Foods | | | | | 108.5 | |
| Textile Products | | | | | 177.4 | |
| fuel & Lighting Materials | 137.7 | 137.7 | 137.7 | 137.7 | 138.6 | 134. |
| Metals & Metal Products | | | | | 188.2 | |
| Building Materials | 224.2 | 224.2 | 224.2 | 224.2 | 224.4 | 211.2 |
| Chemicals & Allied Products | 139.8 | 138.2 | 139.1 | 140.5 | 137.7 | 121.7 |
| SPECIAL INDEXES (1947=100) | | | | | | |
| Petroleum and Products | 125.7 | 125.7 | 125.7 | 125.7 | 125.3 | 120. |
| Retined Petroleum Prod | | 124.3 | | | 123.9 | |
| Crude Petroleum | | | | | 133.5 | |
| Natural Gasoline | 91.2 | 91.2 | 91.2 | 91.2 | 91.2 | 98.2 |

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Monthly Index of Wholesele Commodity Prices 11926=1001

| Commodity Groups: | June 1951 | Mey 1951 | Apr. 1951 | | | June 1950 |
|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------|-------|--------------|
| Commodity Groups: | | - | | | | |
| All Commodifies | 181.7 | 182.9 | 183.6 | 184.0 | 183.6 | 157.3 |
| | | | _ | - | | - |
| Farm Products | 198.6 | 199.6 | 202.6 | 203.8 | 202.6 | 154.9 |
| Foods | 186.3 | 187.3 | 185.8 | 186.6 | 187.6 | 162.1 |
| Hides & Leather Products | 230.6 | 232.6 | 233.3 | 236.2 | 238.1 | 182.6 |
| Textile Products | 177.0 | 181.9 | 182.8 | 183.2 | 181.1 | 136.8 |
| fuel & Lighting Materials | 137.8 | 137.5 | 138.1 | 138.6 | 138.1 | 132.6 |
| Metals & Matal Products | 188.2 | 188.8 | 189.0 | 188.8 | 187.9 | 171.9 |
| Building Materials | 225.6 | 227.8 | 228.5 | 228.5 | 228.1 | 202.1 |
| Chemicals & Allied Products | 142.9 | 146.4 | 147.9 | 146.4 | 147.3 | 114.5 |
| Mausefurnishing Goods | 179.3 | 180.0 | 180.1 | 178.8 | 175.4 | 146.9 |
| Miscellaneous Products | 141.7 | 141.7 | 142.7 | 142.5 | 142.7 | 114.7 |
| Raw Materials | 194.7 | 195.5 | 197.7 | 199.4 | 199.0 | 167.7 |
| Semi-Manufactured Products | 180.4 | 186.5 | 187.1 | 187.5 | 167.1 | 148.4 |
| Manufactured Products | 175.5 | 176.2 | 176.1 | 175.8 | 175.5 | 153.5 |
| All Commodities Other Than | | | | | | |
| Farm Products | 177.9 | 179.0 | 179.2 | 179.3 | 179.2 | 155.2 |
| Farm Products & Foods | 170.5 | 171.7 | 172.3 | 172.4 | 171.8 | 148.7 |

United States and Foreign Wholesale Price Index Numbers

| | June 1951 | May 1951 | Apr. 1951 | Mar. 1951 | June 1950 |
|------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| U. S. IR. L. Sb | 181.7 | 182.9 | 183.6 | 184.0 | 157.3 |
| Canada (Dom. Bur. Lk | 242.7 | 241.9 | 242.2 | 241.8 | 209.2 |
| Austriannen | 1.086.0 | 1,062.0 | 1,062.0 | 1,000.0 | 779.0 |
| Denmark | 328.0 | 319.0 | 312.0 | 303.0 | 238.0 |
| Dominican Republic | 272.0 | 270.0 | 248.0 | 246.0 | 240.0 |
| France | 138.0 | 141.0 | 140.0 | 134.0 | 103.0 |
| Guatemalah | 155.0 | 149.0 | 143.0 | 146.0 | 140.0 |
| India | 456.0 | 457.0 | 458.0 | 439.0 | 396.0 |
| Mexico | 400.0 | 394.0 | 385.0 | 375.0 | 304.0 |
| Moroccarring | 2,568.0 | 2,554.0 | 2,597.0 | 2,668.0 | 2,051.0 |
| Notwayssessessesses | 262.0 | 255.0 | 249.0 | 241.0 | 201.0 |
| Philipines | 403.0 | 407.0 | 412.0 | 1 399.0 | 330.0 |
| Seltzerland | 220.0 | 223.0 | 223.0 | 223.0 | 189.0 |
| U. K. iBd. of Tr. I | 295.0 | 294.0 | 293.0 | 288.0 | 236.0 |
| | May | Apr. | Mer. | Feb. | May |
| | 1951 | 1951 | 1951 | 1951 | 1950 |
| Australia | **** | 268.0 | 272.0 | 258.0 | 220.0 |
| Retglum | 473.0 | 478.0 | 479.0 | 471.0 | 365.0 |
| Brazilessassassassas | 558.0 | 554.0 | 536.0 | 535.0 | 394.0 |
| Costa Rice | 284.0 | 280.0 | 276.0 | 266.0 | 246.0 |
| Finland | 1,455.0 | 1,424.0 | 1,388.0 | 1,342.0 | 993.0 |
| West Germany | 245.0 | 250.0 | 251.0 | 245.0 | 197.0 |
| Italyseesseesseessees | 6,094.0 | 6,052.0 | 6,090.0 | 6,107.0 | 5,356.0 |
| Japan | 27,730.0 | | 26,060.0 | 24,670.0 | 18,070.0 |
| Netherlands | 380.0 | 377.0 | 374.0 | 361.0 | 291.0 |
| Perussassassassassas | 753.0 | 739.0 | 740.0 | 746.0 | 625.0 |
| Partugal | 251.0 | 256.0 | 257.0 | 256.0 | 236.0 |
| Spairenessessesses | 655.0 | 640.0 | 645.0 | 638.0 | 469.0 |
| Sweden | 265.0 | 261.0 | 252.0 | 241.0 | 194.0 |
| Turkey | **** | 502.0 | 519.0 | 513.0 | 444.0 |
| Union South Africa | 231.0 | 224.0 | 222.0 | 219.0 | 202.0 |
| U. K. (Economisticd | 228.0 | 226.9 | 225.4 | 222.8 | 188.8 |
| Venezuela | 175.0 | 174.0 | 174.0 | 172.0 | 163.0 |
| a 1937=100 b 1926=100 | c 1938=1 | | 7=100 e 3 | | 1939=100 |
| g 1936/1938=100 h 1/46 | =100 i I | 941=100 | 1 1949=10 | 0 k 1935 | -1939=100 |
| m 9/38-8/39=100 | | 4 | * | | |

Dun & Bradstreet Wholesale Food Price Index-1949 to Date

| 1951 | | 1950 | | 1949 | |
|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Jan. 2 | \$6.93 | Jan. 3 | \$5.73 | Jen. 4 | \$6.12 |
| Jan. 9 | 7.02 | Jen. 10 | 5.76 | Jan. Il | 6.08 |
| Jan. 16 | 7.04 | Jan. 17 | 5.75 | Jan. 18 | 6.02 |
| Jen. 23 | 7.08 | Jan. 24 | 5.78 | Jen. 25 | 5.91 |
| Jan. 30 | 7.17 | Jan. 31 | 5.79 | feb. l | 5.88 |
| Feb. 0 | 7.21 | Feb. 7 | 5.80 | feb. 8 | 5.66 |
| feb. 13 | 7.25 | feb. 14 | 5.86 | feb. 15 | 5.76 |
| Feb. 20 | 7.31 | feb. 21 | 5.83 | Feb. 22 | 5.78 |
| feb. 29 | 7.25 | Feb. 28 | 5.85 | Mar . 1 | 5.82 |
| Mer. 6 | 7.27 | Mer . 7 | 5.85 | Mar. 84 | 5.81 |
| Mer. 13 | 7.27 | Mar. 14 | 5.81 | Mar. 15 | 5.79 |
| Mar. 20 | 7.23 | Mar. 21 | 5.79 | Mar . 22 | 5.79 |
| Mer. 27 | 7.21 | Mar. 28 | 5.79 | Mar. 29 | 5.77 |
| Apr. 3 | 7.15 | Apr. 4 | 5.74 | Apr - 5 | 5.78 |
| Apr. 10 | 7.15 | Apr. Il | 5.75 | Apr. 12 | 5.71 |
| Apr. 17 | 7.13 | Apr. 18 | 5.73 | Apr. 19 | 5.68 |
| Apr. 24 | 7.16 | Apr. 25 | 5.83 | Apr. 26 | 5.67 |
| | 7.14 | | 5.84 | | 5.71 |
| May Interes | 7.18 | May 2 | 5.89 | May 10 | 5.68 |
| May B | 7.18 | May 9 | 5.89 | May 17 | 5,66 |
| May ISerre | | May Ideases | | | 5.74 |
| May 22 | 7.17 | May 23 | 5.90 | May 24 | 5.74 |
| May 29 | 7.16 | May 30 | 5.94 | May 31 | 5.73 |
| June Serve | 7.08 | June Garage | 6.00 | June 7 | |
| June 12 | 7.07 | June 13 | 5.94 | June 14 | 5.68 |
| June 19 | 7.07 | June 20 | 5.96 | June 21 | 5.69 |
| June 20 | 7.02 | June 27 | 6.04 | June 28 | |
| July 3 | 7.00 | July Acces | 6.19 | July Seress | 5.66 |
| July 10 | 6.92 | wely Heres | 6.28 | July 12 | 5.68 |
| July 17 | 6.88 | wely 18 | 6.41 | July 19 | 5.71 |
| July 24 | 6.90 | July 25 | 6.49 | July 26 | 5.84 |
| July 31 | 6.91 | Aug. lesere | 6.53 | Aug. 2 | |
| Aug. Terre | 6.95 | Aug. Berese | 5.53 | Aug. 9 | 5.89 |
| Aug. 14 | 6.94 | Aug. 15 | 6.53 | Aug. 10 | 5.89 |
| Aug. 21 | 6.93 | Aug. 22 | 0.50 | Aug. 23 | 5.86 |
| Aug. 28 | | Aug. 29 | 0.59 | Aug. 30 | 5.78 |
| Sept. 4 | | Sept. Seese | 4.65 | Sept. O | 5.02 |
| Sept. Ifere | **** | Sept. 12 | 6.68 | Sept. 13 | 5.85 |
| Sept. 18 | **** | Sept. 19 | 6.67 | Sept. 20 | 5.72 |
| Sept. 25 | **** | Sept. 26 | 6.61 | Sept. 27 | 5.67 |
| Oct. 2 | **** | Oct. 3 | 6.50 | Oct. 4 | 5.65 |
| Oct. 9 | | Oct. 10 | 6.48 | Oct. II | 5.57 |
| Oct. 16 | **** | Oct. 17 | 6.48 | Oct. 18 | 5.58 |
| Oct. 23 | 5535 | Oct. 24 | 6.50 | Oct - 25 | 5.79 |
| Oct. 30 | | Oct. 31 | 6.52 | Nov. I | 5.09 |
| Nov. 6 | | Nov. 7 | 6.52 | Nov. 8 | 5.74 |
| Nov. 13 | | Nov. 14 | 6.58 | Nov. 15 | 5.68 |
| Nov. 20 | | Nov. 21 | 6.63 | Nov. 22 | 5.74 |
| Nov. 27 | | Nov. 28 | 6.67 | Nov. 29 | 5.79 |
| Dec. 4 | | Dec. 5 | 6.77 | Dec. 6 | 5.76 |
| Dec. 11 | | Dec. 12 | 6.77 | Dec. 13 | 5.74 |
| Dec. 18 | | Dec. 19 | 6.80 | Dec. 20 | 5.73 |
| Dec. 25 | | Dec. 26 | 6.90 | Dec. 27 | 5.79 |
| Average | **** | | \$6.21 | | \$5.76 |

Note: The Wholesale Food Price Index represents the sum total of the price per pound of 31 foodstuffs in general use.

Daily Wholesale Price Index of 30 Basic Commodities

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| TOTALSHED DY | THE UNITED | LLE22 W2301 | ciettons. | (1830-1835+ | 1001 |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Aug. 1951 | July 1951 | June 1951 | May 1951 | Apr. 1951 |
| 1 | 302.00 | 1 | 319.84 | 321.77 | 1 |
| 2 | 301.97 | 311.39 | 319.05 | 321.00 | 325.09 |
| 3 | 302.42 | 311.70 | * | 319.83 | 324.76 |
| 4 | | | 317.70 | 320.98 | 324.74 |
| 5 | * | 311.74 | 317.50 | 321.05 | 323.33 |
| 6 | 300.60 | 310.74 | 318.05 | 1 | 323.11 |
| 7 | 300.80 | | 318.06 | 321.27 | 322.66 |
| 8 | 301.20 | 1 | 317.60 | 321.36 | 1 |
| 9 | 301.22 | 308.68 | 317.00 | 321.53 | 323.53 |
| 10 | 301.02 | 308.72 | 1 | 321.62 | 323.01 |
| 11 | • | 307.80 | 316.47 | 321.55 | 323.14 |
| 12 | 1 | 308.74 | 316.96 | 321.76 | 323.29 |
| 13 | 300.65 | 307.95 | 316.86 | 1 | 323.90 |
| 14 | 300.79 | | 316.64 | 319.98 | 322.78 |
| 15 | 301.30 | 1 | 316:66 | 319.68 | 1 |
| 16 | 301.09 | 307.06 | 316.52 | 319.81 | 323.37 |
| 17 | 301.08 | 304.28 | ***** | 319.85 | 322.56 |
| 18 | | 303.68 | 316.13 | 320.01 | 322.65 |
| 19 | 1 | 302.76 | 315.04 | 318.51 | 322.83 |
| 20 | 300.09 | 302.71 | 315.43 | 1 | 322.72 |
| 21 | 299.79 | • | 314.85 | 318.52 | 322,10 |
| 22 | 299.59 | 1 | 315.04 | 319.13 | 1 |
| 23 | | 302.23 | | 318,78 | 322.62 |
| 24 | ***** | 302.76 | ***** | 319.02 | 322.93 |
| 25 | ****** | 302.53 | 313.10 | 319.70 | 323.34 |
| 26 | ****** | 301.51 | 312.90 | 319.71 | 322.91 |
| 27 | ***** | 302.38 | 313.40 | 1 | 323.00 |
| 28 | ****** | • | 313.29 | 319.90 | 323.00 |
| 29 | ****** | 1 | 313.44 | 320.38 | 1 |
| 30 | | 301.48 | | 9 | 322.81 |
| 31 | | 302.09 | | 320.01 | 322.01 |
| | | | | 320.01 | |
| (#) Holiday | (†) Sund | ay . | | | |
| | | 11 gh | | Lo | |
| 1951 | 329.6 | 5 feb. 17 | | 299.59 | Aug. 22 |
| 1950 | 319.32 | Dec. 29 | ******* | | Jan. 13 |
| 1949 | | | ******* | | Aug. 16 |
| 1948 | | | ****** | | Dec . 22 |
| 1947 | 304.62 | | ******* | | Jen. 23 |
| | | | | | |

BUILDING PERMIT VALUES FOR 215 CITIES

July 1951 and 1950

The following table gives monthly building permit values by cities and by geographical regions. The figures represent estimated building costs under permits issued to prospective builders within the corporate limits of the cities enumerated. They include new residential and new non-residential buildings, as well as additions, alterations, and repairs. Land costs are not included. The data are compiled from reports furnished monthly to Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., by the building departments of the various cities.

| | July | July 1950 | June | | July 1951 | July 1950 | June 1951 |
|--|--|--------------------|--------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Non-Beeleeds | 14.51 | | | South Atlantic: Asheville, N. C Aflanta, Ga Augusta, Ga Charleston, S. C Charlotte, N. C Coral Gables, Fla. Greensboro, N. C Jacksonville, S. C Jacksonville, Fla. Macon, Ga. | | 1.7.4.4 | |
| Roston, Massey | \$7,527,726 | \$6,586,159 | \$10,169,593 | Asheville, N. C | \$147,389 | \$776,596 | \$431,162 |
| Bridgeport, Conn | 520,200 | 714,335 229,080 | 284,260 157,798 | Aflanta, Garresses | 11,088,273 | 6,079,782 | 1,865,232 |
| New England: Boston, Mass Bridgeport, Conn Bristol, Conn Brockton, Mass | 204,905 | 262,855 | 301,187 | Augusta, Garrens | 138,150 | 6,221,370 | 316,153 7,652,706 |
| Bristol, Conn. Brockion, Mess. Cambridge, Mass. Cambridge, Mass. Leverth, Mass. Manchester, N. H. Medford, Mass. Nee Britain, Conn. New Mass. New Britain, Conn. New Leverth, Mass. New Leverth, Mass. New Leverth, Mass. Sandan, Mass. Nerelk, Conn. Portland, Me. Frovidence, R. L. Guinu, Mass. Sandan, Mass. Stanford, Conn. Waterbury, Conn. Wa | 635,140 | 1.439,911 | 230,453 | Charleston, S. C. | 95,657 2,050,681 | 109.036 | 103,265 |
| Chairma Mass | 42,300 | 44,105 | 23,498 | Charlotte. N. C | 2,050,681 | 3,020,470 | 103,265 |
| Everett, Mass | 30,295 | 144,420 | 186,673 | Carel Gables, Fla | 829,179 | 997.327 | 936,764 |
| Fall Kiver, Mass | 132,945 | 541,009 | 557,950 131,278 | Greensboro, N. C | 627,250 | 947,760 | 630,623 |
| Fifchburg, Mais | 780,865 | 2,227,517 | 1.060.947 | Greenville, S. C | 1,579,235 | 2,568,806 | 1,854,913 |
| Greenwich, Conn | 362,685 | 502,097 | 521,091 | Lynchburg, Varrance | 158,471 | 192,743 | 197,819 |
| Haverhill, Matterne | 41,560 | 744,370 | 52,575 | Macon, Garrers | 179,304 | 325,913 | 146,313 |
| Holyoke, Mass | 62,000 | 205,745 | 2,175,500 | Miami, Fla | 2,565,438 | 4,608,113 | 3,581,154 |
| Lawrence, Mass | 252,917 147,790 | 383.075 | 81,250 | Miami Beach, Fla | 2,073,233 | 1,492,259 | 2,241,593 831,970 |
| Lowell, Mais | 3,317,209 | 244,900 | 154.860 | Plebmand Va | 8,300,785 | 3,034,261 | 1,373,697 |
| Manchester N. H. | 694,833 | 443,779 | 470,549 | Roanoke, Va | | 892,125 | 3,616,960 |
| Medford, Mass | 694,833 373,054 3,130,995 | 959,091 | 90,445 | Savannah, Ga | 1,787,489 | 508,205 | 249,645 |
| New Sedford, Mass | 3,130,995 | 334,623 | 193,424 | Tampa, fla | | 721,671 | 704,761 3,754,868 |
| New Britain, Conn | 3,130,995 392,800 399,330 | 1,126,108 | 736,756 | Lynchburg, Va. Macon, Ga. Miami, Fla. Miami Beach, Fla. Norfolk, Va. Richmond, Va. Roanole, Va. Roanole, Va. Roanole, Va. Washington, D. C. Winston Salem, N. C. | 4,604,152 349,654 | 1,089,784 | 6,334,188 |
| New Maven, Long | 802,060 | | 818,170 | attistion solent les es | | | |
| Norwalk, Conn | 2,309,414 | 668,000 | 661,359 | Total So. Atlantic | \$64,846,220 | \$44,119,420 | \$38,567,089 |
| Portland, Me | 257,505 456,400 | | 216,065 708,200 | | | | |
| Providence, E. I | 1,566,139 | 899,750 647,756 | 655,565 | East Central: | \$1,874,279 | \$2 409 700 | \$2,164,706 |
| Guincy, Masserers | 144,755 | 122,795 | 443,275 | Ray City, Mich | 290,873 | \$3,428,790 547,057 | 372,821 |
| Salem, Wassersers | 57,690 | 125,496 | 68.020 | Bereyn, Ills | 418,825 | 559,560 | 153,580 |
| Springfield, Mass | 584,791 | 6114431 | 917,320 | Bluefield, W. Verres | 90.830 | 121,708 | 35,698 |
| Stamford, Conn | 850,530 | 1,551,505 | 1,036,025 | Centon, Ohlo | 982,260 | 961,070 29,693,100 | 290,895 |
| Waterbury, Conn | 599,515 810,816 | 551,165 | 1,160,829 | Chicago, Ills | 7,398,655 | 8,962,610 | 9,690,840 |
| West Hartford, Conn. | 1,100,791 | 4,706,035 | 1,032,005 | Clarksburg, W. Verre | | 265.675 | 186,057 |
| workester, wass | | | | East Centrals Atron, Oblo Bay City, Mich Berven, Ills Brutited, W. Va Canton, Oblo City Mich College and College Colle | 7,462,800 | 7,291,100 | 7,261,500 |
| Total New England | \$29,215,614 | \$31,062,528 | \$27,022,408 | Columbus, Ohio | 2.473.300 | 3,234,590 | 3,335,550 |
| | | | | Dayton, Ohlassesses | 1,890,265 | 2,612,410 | 931,948 |
| Middle Affantic: | 401 740 000 | \$9,833,225 | \$9.088.100 | Detroit, Michies | 305 010 | 1,049,000 | 291,200 |
| Manhattan | \$21,742,092 2,684,450 4,621,050 | 2,380,805 | \$2,288,100 2,146,388 | Evanston- Ills | 325,910 1,192,300 | 1,858,200 | 418,270 |
| Brons | 4,621,050 | 4,740,700 | 13,977,674 | Evansville, Ind | 281,758 | 1.255.642 | 758.890 |
| Brons | 302,175 | 321,135 | 463,900 | flint, Michrossesses | 1,429,025 | 2,872,470 1,072,846 | 980,332 |
| Brooklyn | 2,225,450 | 6,796,380 | 21,402,182 | Fort Wayne, Ind | 3,415,002 2,176,463 | 1,072,846 | 980,332 |
| Brooklyhannin | 8,110,838 | 9,525,714 | 6,959,826 | Gary, Ind. | 876.025 | 861,143 1,685,895 | 702,496 |
| Queens | 2,244,863 | 432,125 | 794,265 | Green Bay, Wiscones | 528,425 | 779.910 | 478,374 |
| Middle Atlanfic: Manhattan | 1.359.600 | 1.032.171 | 548,850 | Hammond, Ind | 748,196 | 779,910 1,373,060 | 478,374 441,989 |
| Pichmond | 760,337 | 175,506 | 146,855 | Huntington, W. Va | 661.490 | 901.470 | 534.161 |
| | \$45.557.765 | \$37,123,541 | \$51,458,270 | Indianapolis, ind | 1,583,195 | 2,926,007 | |
| Total N. Y. Citv.t | (†) Alterations | \$37,123,241 | \$31,430,27U | Lansing, Mich. | 133 012 | 728,715 343,425 | 1,117,510 |
| 181 NEW WOLL | il. wireigitons | • | | Louisville, Ky | 1.057.736 | 2,067,885 | 1,353,883 |
| Albany, N. T. Allentown, Pa. Allonn, Pa. Allonn, Pa. Allonn, Pa. Allonn, Pa. Allonn, N. T. Binghamton, N. T. Buffalo, N. T. Camden, N. J. Esst Cirange, N. J. Lancaster, Pa. James Foun, Pa. Jersev City, N. J. Lancaster, Pa. Month Vernon, N. T. New Brunsick, N. J. New Bornsick, N. J. New Bornsick, N. Y. Nagara falls, N. Y. | \$1,304,394 | \$1,341,375 | \$502,969 601,915 | Madison, Wisc | | 1,873,000 | |
| Allentown, Parraise | 435,770 1,536,418 | 2,687,510 | 601,915 | Milwaukee, Wisc | 5,593,940 | 6,832,817 | 4,810,333 |
| Altoons, Passesses | 1,536,418 | 244,165 297,648 | 265,826 100,672 | Newark, Ohlo | 98,075 | 186,050 | 168,650 559,935 |
| Atlantic City, N. J. | 53,029 128,750 | 93,525 | 58,800 | Peoria. Ills | 803.972 | 443,340 | 499,536 |
| Baynnas N. J. | 77,960 | 100,865 | 94.490 | Pontlac, Mich | 2,759,975 | 2,143,558 | 7,356,760 |
| Binghamton, N. Y | 221,183 | 547,736 | 246,386 | Quincy, Ills | 213,534 | 309,030 | 246,235 |
| Buttalo, N. T | 1,004,427 | 948,345 | 1,151,974 | Racine, Wiscons | 560,035 | 1,283,732 | 681,882 |
| Camden, N. J | 786,092 | 694,582 | 571,718 | Kockford, Ills | 724,975 283,583 | 976,940 | 1,020,675 |
| East Orange, N. J | 630,074 572,375 | 1,158,021 | 231,700 | South Band, Ind. | 1,516,880 | 9 944 347 | 1,384,306 |
| Finira N. Y. | 118,815 | 62.473 | 65.335 | Springfield, Ills | 266.974 | 713.865 | 651,788 |
| Erie. Passesses | 1,970,190 | 1.739.185 | 5.488.050 | Springfield, Ohio | 275.130 | 79,025 | 27,550 |
| Herrisburg, Parress | 217,385 | 625,025 | 253,375 | Superior, Disc Terre Haute, Ind | 937.755 | 165,100 | 103,300 |
| James town, Parerer | 169,864 | 182,387 | 151,635 | Toledo, Ohlo | 2,210,700 | 189,565 | 1,208,400 |
| Jersey Lity, N. J | 171,450 | 1 077 57A | 175.298 | Waukegan, Itis Wheeling, W. Va Youngstown, Ohio Zanesville, Ohio | 678,667 | 631,040 | 683,520 |
| Mount Vernon. N. T. | 256,477 | 192,671 | 1,320,853 682,030 | Wheeling, W. Ve | 256,600 | 1,061,000 | 305,000 |
| Newark, N. J | 3,325,075 | 4,069,320 | 682,030 | Youngs toen, Ohlo | 1,275,268 | 1,379,402 | 900.872 |
| New Brunswick, N. J. | 195,700 | 49,850 573,425 | 91,250 | Zanesville, Ohlo | 55,425 | 111,170 | 62,795 |
| New Rochelle, N. Y. | 325,332 | 1,193,425 | 404,500 | Total East Central | \$80.544.082 | \$118,101,739 | \$94,152,446 |
| Niagara Falls, N. T. | 781,338 9,929,580 | 14,198,380 | 9,588,590 | | \$80,544,082 | \$110,101,739 | \$94,132,440 |
| Pittsburgh, Passess | 1,468,906 | 5.563.068 | 6,362,625 | South Centrals Abiteme, Tex | | | |
| Poughkeepsle, N. Y | 80,075 256,819 | 214,104 | 95.725 | Abitene, Tex | \$928,180 | \$941,828 2,508,756 5,079,077 | \$272,248 1,361,510 1,172,856 317,619 |
| Reading. Passesses | 256,819 | 262,461 | 306,512 | Amerillo, lex | 896,442 2,947,277 | 2,508,756 | 1,361,510 |
| Rochester, N. Y. | 1,454,445 | 2,339,349 | 217,105 | Beaumont Ter | 2,947,277 | 842,946 | 317 410 |
| Screnton, Passesses | 269,913 142,830 | | 86,461 | Birmingham, Ala | 5 034 878 | 4,799,264 | 1.838.830 |
| Syracuse, N. Y | 685,780 | 3,410,530 | 2,608,488 | Chattanooga, Tenn | 701,966 5,446,300 2,683,522 | 584.144 | 630,038 |
| Troy, No Yearness | 44,765 | 84,867 285,150 | 57.444 | Dallas, Tex | 5,446,300 | 13,260,357 | 5,835,743 1,308,699 |
| Utica, N. Y | 205,775 | 285,150 | 146,650 | Fort Smith Act | 2,683,522 | 1,967,935 | 1,308,699 |
| White Plains by | 131,650 | 55,135 321,780 | 81,291 | Fort Worth, Terrore | 224,150 1,881,200 | 324,727 3,928,892 | 271,375 3,11:,615 5,04:,054 7,738,675 |
| Willes Barne, Passes | 183,867 | 121,130 | 141,882 | Galveston, Tex | 116,089 | 318,932 | 5.040.054 |
| Williamsport, Passes | 106,908 | 168.763 | 223,024 | Houston, Tex | 9,598,423 | 318,932 20,095,504 | 7,738,675 |
| Wilmington, Dela | 414,360 | 1,775,378 | 722,205 | Jackson, Miss | 1,337,687 | 1.284.768 | 1.0/0.045 |
| Yorkers, N. Y | 971,350 | 1,881,270 | 1,423,564 | Little Rock Art | 316.528 | 1.767.017 | 751,278 |
| New Bornhaick, N. J. New Routelle, N. V. P. M. Harris, P. J. Philadelphia, Pa. Plitsburgh, Pa. Poughkessie, N. V. Reading, Pa. Rochester, N. V. Scheencteddy, N. V. Syracose, N. Y. Utica, N. V. Waterlowe, N. T. White Plains, N. W. Waterlowe, N. S. Waterlowe, N. V. Waterlowe, N. V. Waterlowe, N. V. Waterlowe, N. V. Waterlowe, N. V. William Barre, Pa. Wilmington, Dela Yorkers, N. V. York, Pa. | 135,825 | 235,581 | 150,008 | Abileng Tea. Amarillo, Tex. Ausfin, Tex. Beaumont, Tea. Birmingham, Ala. Chatlenouga, Tenn. Di Paro, Tex. Fort Smith, Ark. Fort Worth, Tex. Galveston, Tex. Jackson, Tex. Little Rock, Ark. Memphis, Tenn. | 6,093,469 | 2,397,152 7,427,686 | 490,368 |
| Total Middle Atlant | \$77,700,220 | \$87,269,536 | \$88,833,880 | Memphis, Tenn Mobile, Ala | 205,606 | 2.051.217 | 3,067,134 |
| | 2 | -0.6-7.3 | | | | (Continued on f | ollowing page.1 |
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BUILDING PERMIT VALUES FOR 215 CITIES-Continued

July 1951 and 1950

| | July 1951 | July 1950 | June 1951 | | July 1951 | July 1950 | June 1951 |
|----------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| So. Cents (Cont.) | | | | Mountains | | | |
| Montgomery, Ale | \$729,475 | \$721,670 | \$374,350 | Bolse, Idaho | \$287,489 | \$436,382 | \$236,056 |
| Muskoger, Okla | 36,950 | 125,660 | 35,825 | Butte, Mont | 23,200 | 190,040 | 7,125 |
| Neshville, Tenn | 578,279 | 2,124,601 | 1,089,978 | · Colorado Springs, Col | 1,172,772 | 379,010 | 691,045 |
| New Orleans, La | 5,431,969 | 7,103,689 | 6,474,306 | Denver, Col | 4,044,198 | 6,678,644 | 5.027.449 |
| Oklahoma City, Okla | 1,120,195 | 3,418,636 | 1,587,158 | Great Falls, Mont | 226,500 | 513,630 | 261,675 |
| Port Arthur, Texas | 222,668 | 336,060 | 960,704 | Ogden, Utah | 470,250 | 331,950 | 298,700 |
| San Angelo, Texas | 282,372 | 993,992 | 466,571 | Phoenix, Ariz | 4,098,628 | 1,736,970 | 875,775 |
| San Antonio, Texas | 3,035,087 | 4,701,938 | 2,318,455 | Pueblo, Col | 371,586 | 519,068 | 408,730 |
| Shreveport, La | 828,577 | 6,291,276 | 958.346 | Salt Lake City, Utah | 786,595 | 2.634.838 | 1,139,169 |
| Tulsa, Okla | 1,209,700 | 2,421,955 | 638,420 | Tucson, Ariz | 449,530 | 373,193 | 450,269 |
| Daco, Texas | 759,250 | 1.087.090 | 593,400 | | | | |
| Wichita falls, Texas | 611,678 | 662,982 | 1,573,710 | Total Mountain | \$11,930,748 | \$13,793,725 | \$9,395,993 |
| Total So. Central | \$57,522,360 | \$99.571.771 | \$52,246,490 | Pecifics | | | |
| | | | | Bakersfleid, Cal | \$1,063,466 | \$889,087 | \$2,212,798 |
| West Central: | | | | Berkeley, Cal | 1.338.910 | 699,234 | 419,438 |
| Ceder Rapids, lowe | \$671,709 | \$965.979 | \$601,121 | Beverly Hills . Cal | 335.467 | 656,409 | 499.841 |
| Devenport, lowe | 1,103,368 | 2,296,650 | 685.028 | Fresno, Cal | 3,956,256 | 1.755.726 | 775,333 |
| Des Moines, love | 3,150,596 | 2,776,969 | 1,402,186 | Glandele, Cal | 988.025 | 919,566 | 770,796 |
| Dubuque, lows | 298,932 | 591,435 | 241,312 | Long Beach, Cal | 3,060,115 | 4,710,790 | 2.740.665 |
| Deluth, Minn | 2,349,636 | 746,805 | 401,790 | Los Angeles, Cal | 24.647.664 | 38.287.329 | 18,812,908 |
| Fergo, N. D | 577,208 | 1,558,935 | 450.585 | Oakland, Cal | 4,977,821 | 2,658,319 | 2,565,873 |
| Kenses City, Kas | 75,650 | 799,650 | 184,100 | Pasadena, Cal | 1.330.876 | 1,337,763 | 3,587,327 |
| Kansas City, Mo | 1,870,000 | 4,142,000 | 2.604.000 | Portland, Ore | 3,810,445 | 5.335.775 | 2,699,125 |
| Lincoln, Neb | 1,883,353 | 1,011,620 | 2.423.800 | Sacramento, Cal | 859,595 | 2.674.828 | 752,341 |
| Minneapolis, Minn | 2,466,435 | 6,984,010 | 3,552,040 | San Diego, Cal | 9,908,808 | 5,853,039 | 3,716,269 |
| Omehe. Neb | 947,526 | 1,947,345 | 1,447,067 | San Francisco, Cal | 3,284,562 | 3.131.707 | 3,347,004 |
| St. Joseph, Mo | 99,300 | 179,593 | 163,805 | San Jose, Cal | 1,413,659 | 1,962,535 | 1.623.594 |
| St. Louis, Mo | 2,765,563 | 12,633,336 | 2,551,089 | Seattle, Wash | 3,427,160 | 4,146,900 | 3,294,875 |
| St. Paul. Mien | 3,455,241 | 5,125,188 | 2.609.679 | Spokane, Wash | 1,583,479 | 4.505.098 | 1,860,707 |
| Slows City, lows | 653,050 | 1,312,650 | 539.035 | Stockton, Cal | 2,183,798 | 656,800 | 657,516 |
| Sloun falls, S. D | 490,346 | 1,143,916 | 356,398 | Tacoma, Wash | 1,216,118 | 3,474,425 | 1,687,128 |
| Topete, Kas | 229,420 | 1,114,570 | 684,890 | | | | |
| Wichita, Kas | 1,333,091 | 2,073,500 | 1,901,273 | Total Pacific | \$69,392,224 | \$83,655,330 | \$52,023,538 |
| Total West Central | \$24,420,424 | \$47,404,159 | \$22,799,198 | Total 215 Cities | \$415,571,892 | \$524,978,208 | \$385.041.042 |

Building Permit Values for 215 Cities-Monthly-1949 to Date

| | Tetal Uni | ted States - | 215 Cifles | | New York City | | Outside N | ew York City - | 214 Cities |
|------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 |
| Jan | \$446,881,401 | \$334,999,161 | \$222,489,796 | \$51,032,885 | \$41,973,234 | \$64,741,267 | \$395,848,516 | \$293,125,927 | \$157,748,529 |
| feb | 327,241,738 | 343,121,578 | 244,195,551 | 24.348.571 | 67,454,496 | 51,217,797 | 302,893,167 | 275,667,082 | 192,977,754 |
| Mar | 431,630,560 | 448,893,654 | 325,790,104 | 49,584,940 | 48,240,730 | 38,089,095 | 382.045.620 | 400,652,924 | 287,701,009 |
| Apr | 372,503,130 | 445,978,656 | 347,997,556 | 27,351,774 | 57,723,455 | 38,753,201 | 345,151,356 | 388,255,201 | 309,244,355 |
| May | 436,074,181 | 568,904,044 | 330,501,073 | 62,762,259 | 86.101.764 | 38,898,668 | 373.311.922 | 482,802,280 | 291,682,405 |
| June | 385,041,042 | 568,023:104 | 394,056,002 | 51.458.270 | 102,562,255 | 46,389,039 | 333,582,772 | 465,460,849 | 347,666,963 |
| July | 415.571.892 | 524,978,208 | 315,236,164 | 45,557,765 | 37,123,541 | 26,941,739 | 370,014,127 | 487,854,667 | 288,294,425 |
| Aug | | 550,997,973 | 347,409,808 | | 37,858,882 | 41,341,128 | ********* | 513,139,091 | 306,068,680 |
| Sept | | 408,266,993 | 390,982,723 | | 30.673.613 | 48,294,981 | | 377,593,380 | 342,687,742 |
| Oct | | 520,255,660 | 379,954,952 | | 70,902,243 | 54,703,602 | | 449,353,417 | 325,251,350 |
| Nov | | 408.668.048 | 309,757,155 | | 37,350,881 | 37,418,647 | | 371,317,167 | 272,338,508 |
| Dec | | 426,607,027 | 310,418,890 | | 38,150,313 | 41,739,020 | ********* | 388,456,714 | 268,679,870 |

Building Permit Values and Index for 120 Cities—1938 to Date

lindex is 3-months moving average, based on average of 1920-1930 = 100: Adjusted for seasonal variation.1

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|-----------|---------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-------------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | 19 | 951 | 15 | 250 | 19 | 49 | 15 | 48 | 45 | 47 | 15 | 46 | 15 | 945 |
| | Value | Index | Velue | Index | Value | Index | Value | index | Value | index | Value | Index | | Indes |
| January | 366,023 | 201.2 | 269,459 | 166.5 | 188,300 | 126.3 | 233,321 | 140.6 | 128,559 | 81.4 | 165,814 | 101.7 | 37,080 | 20.3 |
| February | 261,160 | 183.4 | 282,201 | 167.7 | 194,905 | 117.5 | 190,904 | 127.7 | 139,718 | 84.7 | 159,117 | 116.1 | 65,250 | 29.6 |
| March | 350,142 | 140.9 | 356,918 | 154.8 | 255,522 | 113.0 | 263,664 | 113.7 | 196,744 | 79.7 | 335,184 | 105.4 | 55.876 | 28.1 |
| Apr 11 | 289.807 | 134.4 | 355,064 | 159.8 | 283,047 | 107.7 | 285,763 | 112.2 | 178,146 | 73.1 | 197,276 | 98.0 | 50,890 | 22.9 |
| May | 349,188 | 127.5 | 464,053 | 174.5 | 257,321 | 116.4 | 279,261 | 117.2 | 164,828 | 76.9 | 187,755 | 74.0 | 61.624 | 24.7 |
| June | 299,211 | 141.6 | 461,954 | 193.3 | 317,107 | 117.0 | 298,305 | 122.8 | 222.834 | 88.3 | 161,334 | 76.3 | 68,889 | 29.2 |
| July | 333,019 | | 418,324 | 195.6 | 240,714 | 124.1 | 274,942 | 129.5 | 222,942 | 100.3 | 179,518 | 76.0 | 71,846 | 34.5 |
| August | ****** | | 433,953 | 186.4 | 278,762 | 133.2 | 295.797 | 136.5 | 226,909 | 111.2 | 167,979 | 78.1 | 90,156 | 42.0 |
| September | | | 322,471 | 191.5 | 311,411 | 147.3 | 284,218 | 134.9 | 245,263 | 119.9 | 143,839 | 73.1 | 100,080 | 52.0 |
| October | ****** | | 420,917 | 188.8 | 309,573 | 150.8 | 246,781 | 132.8 | 260,638 | 128.1 | 137,278 | 72.0 | 126,912 | 63.4 |
| November | | | 338,273 | 199.9 | 245,112 | 145.9 | 229.859 | 128.5 | 227,903 | 135.7 | 130,774 | 71.3 | 134.099 | 78.3 |
| December | | | 342,244 | 210.1 | 249,302 | 153.4 | 228,846 | 128.7 | 255,387 | 143.4 | 123,250 | 76.6 | 165,318 | 93.5 |
| Total | | ***** | 4,465,831 | ***** | 3,131,076 | | 3,111,251 | | 2,469,870 | **** | 2,088,918 | ***** | 1,028,028 | |
| | 19 | 944 | 19 | 243 | 4.5 | 42 | 19 | 241 | 15 | 40 | 19 | 239 | 15 | 938 |
| | Value | index | Value | Index | Velue | Index | Value | Index | Value | Index | Value | Index | velue | Index |
| January | 27,611 | 20.3 | 24,252 | 16.2 | 52,376 | 40.7 | 89,163 | 54.1 | 72,062 | 43.6 | 76.834 | 45.8 | 137,651 | 60.2 |
| february | 34,602 | 22.6 | 20,908 | 13.4 | 69,697 | 37.7 | 78,800 | 52.8 | 76,338 | 44.5 | 69,740 | 45.0 | 43,210 | 48.0 |
| March | 67,046 | 21.3 | 20,854 | 13.2 | 83,622 | 38.1 | 115,786 | 48.2 | 91,429 | 41.4 | 97,866 | 38.3 | 63,151 | 26.6 |
| April | 36,371 | 19.4 | 39,017 | 14.5 | 91,747 | 32.1 | 115,076 | 48.2 | 97,743 | 39.4 | 77,915 | 36.1 | 67,540 | 26.1 |
| May | 38,833 | 16.7 | 41,256 | 15.2 | 62,320 | 27.4 | 119,214 | 46.6 | 101,382 | 39.6 | 90,000 | 36.6 | 62,290 | |
| June | 47,947 | 21.9 | 31,494 | 16.0 | 49,397 | 22.5 | 100,651 | 51.4 | 92,721 | 41.7 | 100,597 | 39.3 | 73,272 | 37.9 |
| July | 63,960 | 33.7 | 37,738 | 16.6 | 45,221 | 20.4 | 127,303 | 49.4 | 95,364 | 41.7 | 82,869 | 42.2 | 123,107 | 43.4 |
| August | 111,641 | 37.8 | 41,221 | 18.6 | 42,528 | 21.9 | 95,166 | 50.8 | 91,442 | 45.2 | 100,016 | 42.8 | 83,095 | 47.8 |
| September | 63,074 | 43.9 | 37,318 | 19.6 | 49,277 | 20.8 | 96,214 | 47.5 | 95,652 | 48.9 | 85,592 | 46.7 | 85,412 | 41.8 |
| October | 96,185 | 43.3 | 41,658 | 21.0 | 35,472 | 19.7 | 99,169 | 47.3 | 111,870 | 50.9 | 101,120 | 47.5 | 78,714 | 41.7 |
| November | 87,562 | 39.1 | 40,852 | 21.7 | 28,322 | 17.8 | 76,245 | 45.4 | 85,135 | 52.6 | 85,426 | 44.7 | 74,570 | 41.4 |
| December | 33,673 | 31.2 | 36,393 | 20.8 | 33,641 | 17.2 | 75,256 | 40.4 | 93,342 | 53.6 | 60,837 | 43.5 | 73,824 | 45.2 |
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NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES

TABULATED BY DUN & BRADSTREET, INC.

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Failures by Industrial Groups-Monthly-1949 to Date

| 1949 | lotal Number | Mining & Mfg. | 1 of | Trode | % at Total | Retail Irade | % of Total | Con- struction | f ot Total | Service | % of Total |
|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------|------|-------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|---------|---------------|
| January | 500 | 120 | 22.8 | 76 | 13.4 | 267 | 47.0 | 53 | 0.4 | 41 | 7.7 |
| february | 085 | 1.70 | 24.8 | 90 | 13.2 | 318 | 46.4 | 63 | 9.2 | 4.4 | 6.4 |
| Marchester | 847 | 215 | 25.4 | 102 | 12.0 | 366 | 43.2 | 27 | 9.1 | 9.7 | 10.3 |
| April | 877 | 229 | 26.2 | 98 | 11.2 | 406 | 40.2 | 68 | 7.7 | 76 | 8.7 |
| May | 225 | 202 | 26.1 | 101 | 13.0 | 351 | 45.3 | .63 | 8.1 | 58 | 7.5 |
| June | 828 | 215 | 26.0 | 92 | 11.1 | 3.72 | 44.9 | 74 | 8.9 | 75 | 9.1 |
| Julymanacerman | 719 | 188 | 26.2 | 7.7 | 10.7 | 144 | 47.8 | 61 | 8.5 | 40 | 8.8 |
| Augusternin | 810 | 221 | 27.3 | 96 | 11.9 | 385 | 47.5 | 55 | 6.8 | 53 | 0.5 |
| September | 739 | 183 | 25.0 | 82 | 11.2 | 329 | 44.9 | 71 | 9.7 | 67 | 9.2 |
| Ge faber | 802 | 181 | 22.6 | 109 | 13.0 | 164 | 45 . 4 | 90 | 11-2 | 58 | 7.2 |
| November | 835 | 107 | 23.6 | 97 | 11.0 | 195 | 47.3 | 83 | 9.9 | 6.3 | 7.6 |
| December | 7.70 | 201 | 26.1 | 90 | 11.7 | 349 | 45.3 | 80 | 10.4 | 50 | 0.5 |
| Total featarrances | 9,246 | 2,331 | 25.2 | 1,110 | 12.0 | 4,246 | 45.0 | 838 | 9.6 | 721 | 7.7 |
| 1950 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ARUSE VALLES CARREST CO. | 854 | 225 | 26.1 | 110 | 12.7 | 403 | 46.0 | 65 | 7.5 | 61 | 7.1 |
| February | 811 | 170 | 21.0 | 100 | 12.3 | 199 | 49.2 | 73 | 9.0 | 69 | 8.5 |
| March | 884 | 206 | 23.3 | 116 | 13.1 | 402 | 45.5 | 86 | 9.7 | 74 | H. 4 |
| Aprilenter | 800 | 195 | 24.2 | 93 | 11.5 | 198 | 49.1 | 76 | 9.4 | 4.4 | 5.5 |
| May | 874 | 197 | 27.5 | 1.09 | 12.5 | 426 | 48.7 | 80 | 9.2 | 62 | 7.1 |
| Jung | 725 | 167 | 23.1 | 67 | 9.2 | 363 | 50. I | 61 | 8.4 | 67 | 9.7 |
| Julyssassassassassassas | 694 | 151 | 21.8 | 7.3 | 10.5 | 143 | 49.4 | 65 | 9.4 | 62 | 8.9 |
| Augus t | 787 | 1.7.3 | 22.0 | 70 | 8.9 | 402 | 51.1 | 91 | 11.5 | 51 | 5.5 |
| September | 648 | 147 | 22.7 | 69 | 10.6 | 314 | 48.5 | 75 | 11.0 | 43 | 6.6 |
| October | 707 | 150 | 21.2 | 63 | 8.9 | 339 | 47.9 | 91 | 12.9 | .04 | 9.1 |
| November | 583 | 150 | 22.0 | 69 | 10.1 | 310 | 45.4 | 87 | 12.7 | 67 | 9.8 |
| December | 679 | 143 | 21.1 | 7.7 | 11.3 | 330 | 48.5 | 62 | 9.1 | 0.7 | 9.9 |
| Total Year | 9,162 | 2,074 | 22.6 | 1,016 | 11.1 | 4,429 | 48.3 | 912 | 10.0 | 731 | 8.0 |
| 1951 | | | | | 1 | | * | | | | |
| January | 7.75 | 132 | 17.0 | 73 | 9.4 | 410 | 52.9 | 97 | 12.5 | 63 | 8.2 |
| february | 599 | 107 | 17.9 | 69 | 11.5 | 304 | 50.8 | 60 | 10.0 | 59 | 9.8 |
| March | 732 | 185 | 15.7 | 8.8 | 12.0 | 377 | 51.5 | 8.3 | 11.4 | 0.8 | 9.4 |
| April | 693 | 119 | 17.2 | 76 | 11.0 | 365 | 52.6 | 81 | 11.7 | 52 | 7.5 |
| May | 755 | 128 | 17.0 | 84 | 11.1 | 385 | 51.0 | 94 | 12.4 | 0.4 | 8.5 |
| Jung | 699 | 129 | 18.4 | .00 | 9.4 | 390 | 55.8 | 71 | 10.2 | 43 | 6.2 |
| July | 665 | 130 | 19.6 | -56 | 9.9 | 340 | 51.1 | 7.4 | 11.1 | 55 | 8.3 |
| August | * * | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | | ** | ** |
| September | | | | | * * | ** | | | | * * | * * |
| October | 4.4 | * * | * * | 4.4 | 1.8 | | * * | 1.5 | 1.1 | * * | * * |
| November | 4.4 | ** | 4.8 | | | ** | ** | ** | | * * | * * * |
| December | ** | | | * * | - * * | ** | | | | | - 1.1 |
| Total year | | | | | | | | | | | |

Failures by Size of Liabilities-Monthly-1949 to Date

| 1949 | Total Number | Under \$5,000 | # of Total | \$5,000 to \$25,000 | ≸ of Total | \$25,000 to \$100,000 | % of lotal | \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 | ≸ of Total | \$1,000,000 and Over | % of Total |
|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| January | 500 | 85 | 15.0 | 323 | 57.1 | 126 | 22.2 | 31 | 5.5 | 1 | 0.2 |
| februery | 685 | 108 | 15.8 | 357 | 52.1 | 175 | 25.5 | 43 | 6.3 | 2 | 0.3 |
| Matchesessessesses | H47 | 142 | 16.8 | 422 | 49.8 | 217 | 25.6 | 62 | 7.3 | 4 | 0.5 |
| April | 877 | 187 | 21.3 | 451 | 51.5 | 192 | 21.9 | 45 | 5.1 | 2 | 0.2 |
| | 775 | 157 | 20.3 | 374 | 48.3 | 201 | 25.9 | 42 | 5.4 | i | 0.1 |
| May | 828 | 158 | 19.1 | 415 | 50.1 | 203 | 24.5 | 52 | 0.3 | | |
| June | 719 | 163 | 22.7 | 351 | 48.8 | 167 | 23.2 | 3.7 | 5.2 | 1 | 0.1 |
| dulyerransassassassassas | 810 | 162 | 20.0 | 404 | 49.9 | 186 | 23.0 | 56 | 6.9 | â | 0.2 |
| August | 732 | 180 | 24-6 | 366 | 50.0 | 148 | 20.2 | 37 | 5.1 | 1 | 0-1 |
| September | | 178 | 22.2 | 392 | 48.9 | 188 | 23.4 | 42 | 5.2 | 9 | 0.3 |
| October | 805 | | | | | 105 | 19.8 | 38 | 4.6 | 2 | 0.2 |
| November | 835 | 203 | 24.3 | 427 | 51.1 | 179 | | | 4.0 | | |
| December | 770 | 192 | 24.9 | 364 | 47.3 | 179 | 23.2 | 35 | 4.0 | | |
| Total Year | 9,246 | 1,915 | 20.0 | 4,046 | 50.4 | 2,147 | 23.2 | 520 | 5.0 | 18 | 0.2 |
| 1950 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 864 | 180 | 20.8 | 449 | 52.0 | 194 | 22.5 | 39 | 4.5 | - 2 | 0.2 |
| february | 811 | 181 | 22.3 | 404 | 49.8 | 186 | 22.9 | 40 | 5.0 | ** | 2.0 |
| March | 884 | 166 | 18.8 | 458 | 8.13 | 208 | 23.5 | 52 | 5.9 | | |
| April | 805 | 172 | 21.3 | 416 | 51.0 | 169 | 21.0 | 49 | 5.1 | | |
| May | 874 | 197 | 27.5 | 450 | 51.5 | 186 | 21.3 | 41 | 4.7 | | |
| Jung | 725 | 169 | 23.3 | 373 | 51.5 | 151 | 20.8 | 31 | 4.3 | 1 | 0.4 |
| July | 694 | 140 | 20.2 | 363 | 52.3 | 159 | 22.9 | 32 | 4.6 | | |
| August | 787 | 177 | 22.5 | 427 | 54.3 | 161 | 20.4 | 21 | 2.7 | 1 | 0.1 |
| September | 648 | 175 | 27.0 | 310 | 48.8 | 135 | 20.8 | 22 | 3.4 | | |
| | 707 | 175 | 24.8 | 355 | 50.2 | 156 | 22.1 | 20 | 2.8 | - 1 | 0.1 |
| October | 683 | 186 | 27.2 | 342 | 50.1 | 122 | 17.9 | 31 | 4.5 | 2 | 0.3 |
| November | 679 | 147 | 21.6 | 353 | 52.0 | 148 | 21.8 | 29 | 4.3 | 2 | 0.3 |
| December | 0/4 | 147 | 21.0 | 333 | 25.0 | a secretarion con | 2110 | | 41.3 | COLUMN TO ASSESSED. | |
| Total Year | 9,162 | 2,065 | 22.5 | 4,706 | 51.4 | 1,975 | 21.5 | 407 | 4.4 | 9 | 0.1 |
| 1951 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 775 | 190 | 24.5 | 404 | 52-1 | 143 | 18.5 | 3.6 | 4.9 | * * | N. A. |
| Februerv | 599 | 145 | 24.2 | 302 | 50.4 | 121 | 20.2 | 30 | 5.0 | 1 | 0.2 |
| March | 732 | 170 | 23.2 | 401 | 54.8 | 137 | 18.7 | 23 | 3.2 | ¥ | 0.1 |
| April | 693 | 175 | 25.3 | 348 | 50.2 | 145 | 20.9 | 24 | 3.5 | .1. | 0.1 |
| Mayson | 755 | 159 | 21.1 | 408 | 54.0 | 145 | 19.2 | 42 | 5.0 | 1 | Out |
| Jung | 690 | 164 | 23.5 | 359 | 51.3 | 134 | 19.2 | 41 | 5.9 | 1 | 0.1 |
| July | 665 | 150 | 22.6 | 347 | 52.2 | 134 | 20.1 | 32 | 4.8 | 2 | 0.3 |
| August | | | | | | | | | | | |
| September | | 11 | | ** | | | | ** | | * * | ** |
| October | | | | ** | | | | | | | |
| November | | | | | | | | | | | |
| December | | | | ** | | | | | | ** | |
| December | | - * * | | | | | | ** | | | |
| Total Year | ** | * * | | | | ** | | ** | | | * * |

Failures by Divisions of Industry-Inty 1951

| | Number | of Fal | fures | | nt Liabil ands of Do | |
|-------------------------------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------------------------|---------|
| | July | 7 44- | onths | July | 7.4 | Aonths |
| Mining & Menufacturing: | 1951 | 1951 | 1950 | 1951 | 1951 | 1950 |
| Mining-Cost, Oll, Misc | 3 | 20 | 16 | 158 | 1,920 | 2,038 |
| food & Kindred Products | 16 | 126 | 156 | 847 | 7,512 | 9.283 |
| Textile Mill Prods & App' | 3.8 | 211 | 259 | 1.638 | 8,420 | 9.580 |
| Lumber & Products | 19 | 125 | 201 | 1,120 | 5,094 | 7,005 |
| Paper, Printing & Pub | 9 | 45 | 73 | 356 | 1,893 | 4,351 |
| Chemicals & Allied Prods | 4 | 27 | 31 | 117 | 937 | 4,271 |
| Leather & Products | 6 | 3.9 | 64 | 688 | 1,431 | 1,900 |
| Stone Clay & Glass Prods | 2 | 22 | 37 | 92 | 504 | 1,697 |
| iron. Steel & Products | 2 | 21 | 50 | 35 | 641 | 3,815 |
| Machinery | 8 | 64 | 141 | 2,233 | 7,593 | 7,197 |
| Transportation Equipment. | 1 | 8 | 39 | 24 | 152 | 3,157 |
| Miscellaneous | 22 | 152 | 234 | 482 | 4,576 | 8,007 |
| Total Mining & Mfg | 130 | 860 | 1,311 | 7,790 | 40,673 | 62,301 |
| Wholesale Trade: | | | | | | |
| food & Farm Products | 19 | 156 | 177 | 1,176 | 5,460 | 8,162 |
| Apparel | 3 | 22 | 28 | 79 | 556 | 934 |
| Dry Goods | 3 | 15 | 1.4 | 66 | 318 | 398 |
| Lumber, Bldg.Mtls, Hdwe | 2 | 40 | 72 | 308 | 1,532 | 3,545 |
| Chemicals & Drugs | 5 | 22 | 24 | 165 | 585 | 597 |
| Motor Vehicles & Auto Equip . | 4 | 19 | 43 | 70 | 309 | 1,084 |
| Miscellaneous | 30 | 248 | 310 | 2,592 | 14,485 | 9,168 |
| Total Wholesale Trade | 66 | 522 | 668 | 4,456 | 23,245 | 23,888 |
| Retail Trade: | | | | | | |
| Food & Liquor | 88 | 670 | 547 | 929 | 8,936 | 6,160 |
| General Merchandise | 6 | 94 | 142 | 40 | 2,002 | 3,011 |
| Apparel & Accessories | 47 | 395 | 465 | 572 | 5,605 | 8,718 |
| Furniture, Home Furnishings. | 42 | 255 | 289 | 1,061 | 8,939 | 6,261 |
| Lumber, Bldg.Mt1s, Hdwe | 21 | 151 | 170 | 269 | 2,615 | 3,611 |
| Automotive Group | 15 | 178 | 267 | 137 | 2,566 | 4,470 |
| Esting & Drinking Places. | 62 | 525 | 493 | 1,126 | 10,523 | 9,263 |
| Drug Stores | | 58 | 69 | 166 | 991 | 1,058 |
| Miscellaneous | 31 | 245 | 292 | 470 | 3,407 | 4,482 |
| Total Retail Trade | 340 | 2,571 | 2,734 | 4,778 | 45,684 | 47,834 |
| Constructions | | | | | | |
| Gen'i Bidg. Contractors | 32 | 196 | 159 | 1,592 | 9,434 | 5,120 |
| Building Sub-Contractors | 40 | 344 | 323 | 734 | 8.714 | 7,091 |
| Other Contractors | 2 | 20 | 24 | 340 | 2,439 | 1,020 |
| Total Construction | 7.4 | 560 | 506 | 2,000 | 20,587 | 13,231 |
| Commercial Service: | | | | | | |
| Pass. & freight Trans | 22 | 123 | 105 | 939 | 4,647 | 3,210 |
| Misc. Public Services | | 18 | 22 | 47 | 500 | 726 |
| Hotels | 1 | 10 | 19 | 30 | 389 | 1,576 |
| Cleaning, Dying, Repairing. | 8 | 56 | 57 | 110 | 789 | 569 |
| Laundries | 5 | 29 | 24 | 69 | 732 | 583 |
| Undertakers | * * * | 5 | 7 | | 100 | 161 |
| Other Personal Services | 1.4 | 36 | 36 | 26 | 477 | 450 |
| Business & Repair Services. | 1.4 | 128 | 169 | 177 | 1,952 | 3,395 |
| Total Commercial Service. | 55 | 405 | 439 | 1,398 | 9,586 | 10,770 |
| Total United States | 665 | 4.918 | 5.658 | 21.088 | 139.775 | 158,024 |

Failures in Large Cities-July 1951

| | Number | of Fal | lures | | nt Llabii ands of Do | |
|---------------------------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------------------------|---------|
| Cities: | July | 7 M | onths | July | 7 4 | Aontha |
| (1940 Population Ranking) | 1951 | 1951 | 1950 | 1951 | 1951 | 1950 |
| New York, N. Y | 167 | 1,163 | 1,010 | 3,994 | 34,184 | 28,512 |
| Chicago, Illa | 22 | 190 | 235 | 817 | 4,267 | 6.017 |
| Philadelphia, Parrente | 1.7 | 100 | 107 | 198 | 2.219 | 2.371 |
| Defroit, Mich | 7 | 57 | 63 | 109 | 1,126 | 3,188 |
| Los Angeles, Col | 28 | 215 | 293 | 785 | 5.592 | 8.011 |
| Cleveland, Ohlo | 4 | 47 | 75 | 196 | 1,137 | 1,552 |
| Beltimore, Md | 5 | 48 | 72 | 75 | 4,521 | 3,577 |
| St. Louis, Mo | 1 | 19 | 3.6 | 23 | 491 | 1,962 |
| Boston, Mass | 1.1 | 7.7 | 100 | 559 | 2.401 | 2.729 |
| Pittsburgh, Per | 1 | 27 | 38 | 1.0 | 542 | 602 |
| Washington, D. C | | 2 | 16 | | 7 | 565 |
| San Francisco, Cal | 9 | 61 | 72 | 215 | 1,630 | 3,347 |
| Mileautee, Wiscons | 7 | 69 | 56 | 108 | 1.145 | 1.149 |
| Buttalo, N. Y | -4 | 28 | 40 | 92 | 523 | 1,433 |
| New Orleans, La | 1 | 19 | 16 | 7 | 501 | 544 |
| Minneapolis, Minn | 3 | 1.7 | 12 | 62 | 616 | 285 |
| Cincinnati, Ohio | 3 | 11 | 15 | 80 | 294 | 284 |
| Newerk, N. J | 1 | 25 | 38 | 2 | 1.723 | 1.321 |
| Kansas City, Mo | 1 | 1.7 | 15 | 20 | 492 | 495 |
| Indianapolis, Ind | 1 | 6 | 1.0 | 80 | 222 | 335 |
| Houston, Texas | 1 | 13 | 41 | 38 | 1,801 | 1,739 |
| Seattle, Wash | | 39 | 39 | | 780 | 1.040 |
| Rochester, N. Y | 2 | 19 | 32 | 26 | 335 | 418 |
| Louisville, Kynnesser | 1 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 172 | 72 |
| Denver, Col | - 4 | 9 | 29 | 118 | - 218 | 1,834 |
| Total 25 Cities | 301 | 2,284 | 2,471 | 7,627 | 66,939 | 73,482 |
| Balance of Country | 364 | 2,634 | 3,187 | 13,461 | 72,836 | 84,542 |
| Total United States | 565 | 4.918 | 5.658 | 21.088 | 139,775 | 158.024 |

United States Failures by States -- July 195

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|----------------------------|--------------|------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| | Number | of Fal | lures | | nt Liabil ands of De | |
| New Englands | July 1951 | 7 M | onths 1950 | July 1951 | 1951 | Aonths 1950 |
| Less Englands | 1951 | 1951 | 1950 | 1951 | 1951 | 1950 |
| Maine | 2 | 22 | 25 | 24 | 224 | 669 |
| New Hampshire Vermont | 7 | 19 | 26 | 116 | 851 27 | 762 |
| Massachusetts | 27 | 219 | 307 | 879 | 4,878 | 6,895 |
| Connecticut | 13 | 84 | 103 | 449 | 2,923 | 2,551 |
| Rhode Island | В | 60 | 59 | 341 | 986 | 1,158 |
| Total New England | 57 | 406 | 529 | 1,811 | 9,889 | 12,181 |
| Middle Atlantics | | | | | | |
| New York | 194 | 1,385 | 1,270 | 5,725 | 39,903 | 35,459 |
| New Jersey Pennsylvania | 26 38 | 192 258 | 200 | 1,643 | 6,550 | 6,741 |
| rennsylvania | 30 | | | | 7,469 | 5,333 |
| Total Middle Att | 258 | 1,035 | 1,751 | 8,543 | 53,922 | 47,533 |
| East No. Central: | 25 | 157 | 223 | 1,041 | 4,934 | 4,055 |
| Ohio | 3 | 34 | 42 | 148 | 762 | 1,767 |
| Illinois | 27 | 255 | 323 | 1,444 | 6,298 | H - 38E |
| Michigen | 16 | 125 | 156 | 327 | 2,463 | 5.533 |
| Wisconsin | 16 | 144 | 171 | 267 | 2,408 | 3,589 |
| Total East No. Cent. | 87 | 715 | 915 | 3,227 | 16,865 | 24,232 |
| West No. Central: | | | | | | |
| Minnesofe | 5 | 49 | 26 | 99 | 1,108 | 853 |
| Missouri | 5 | 24 52 | 30 65 | 146 | 1,662 | 4,060 |
| North Dekotessesses | í | 4 | 4 | 8 | 29 | 208 |
| North Dekote | 1 | 5 | 5 | 10 | 133 | 72 |
| NEDF aske | -; | ,, | 25 | 11 | 41 | 575 |
| Kansas | | 17 | 20 | 15 | 645 | 319 |
| Total West No. Cent. | 16 | 158 | 197 | 376 | 4,314 | 6,929 |
| South Atlantic: | 9 | 63 | 95 | | | 2 007 |
| Maryland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 116 | 4,666 | 3,987 |
| Dist. of Columbia | | 2 | 16 | | 8 | 566 |
| Virginia | 4 | 35 | 68 | 59 | 3,630 | 1.504 |
| West Virginia | 6 | 49 | 33 | 219 | 1,537 | 1.266 |
| North Carolina | 5 | 45 | 61 | 29 | 1,133 | 2,062 |
| Georgie | 7 | 51 | 75 | 1,339 | 2,546 | 1,703 |
| Florida | - 8 | 82 | 67 | 121 | 3,457 | 2,307 |
| Total So. Atlantic | 40 | 332 | 448 | 1,887 | 17,327 | 14,259 |
| East So. Central: | 5 | 23 | 31 | 56 | 486 | 567 |
| Tennessee | 4 | 48 | 40 | 53 | 2,053 | 614 |
| Alabama | 2 | 22 | 27 | 40 | 697 | 919 |
| Mississippl | 3 | 28 | 36 | 83 | 548 | 784 |
| Total East So. Cent. | 14 | 121 | 134 | 232 | 3,784 | 2,884 |
| West So. Centrals | | | | | | |
| Arkenses | 1 | 15 | 23 | 38 | 549 | 864 |
| Oilahoma | 5 | 24 | 24 | 143 | 1,453 | 458 |
| Texas | 11 | 56 | 126 | 225 | 3,628 | 4,733 |
| Total West So. Cent. | 21 | 143 | 210 | 411 | 6,065 | 7,784 |
| Mounfains | | | | | | |
| Montana | | | 5 | | 4 | 249 |
| deho | 4 | - 11 | 13 | 106 | 232 | 453 |
| Color ado | | 10 | 40 | 279 | 537 | 2,204 |
| New Mexico | 2 | 15 | 4 | 63 | 276 | 137 |
| Arizona | 6 | 33 | 44 | 133 | 511 | 934 |
| Utah | ** | 16 | 16 | | 249 | 252 |
| Nevada | 2 | 8 | 8 | 137 | 398 | 235 |
| Total Mountain | 20 | 105 | 138 | 718 | 2,230 | 4,476 |
| Pacific: | 9 | 77 | 115 | 17 | 1 004 | 2,683 |
| Oregon | 9 | 43 | 124 | 449 | 1,143 | 2,365 |
| California | 141 | 983 | 1,097 | 3,417 | 22,942 | 32,698 |
| Total Pacific | 152 | 1,103 | 1,336 | 3,883 | 25,379 | 37,746 |
| Total United States | 665 | 4,918 | 5,658 | 21,088 | 139,775 | 158,024 |
| | | | | | | |

Canadian Failures by Provinces-July 1951

| | Number | of Fai | tures | | ent Liebi! | |
|----------------------|--------|--------|-------|-------|------------|-------|
| | July | 7 Mo | nths | July | 7 Me | onths |
| Canadas | 1951 | 1951 | 1950 | 1951 | 1951 | 1950 |
| Newfoundland | | 3 | 4 | | 184 | 80 |
| Prince Edward Island | ** | | 3 | | | 108 |
| Nova Scotia | | 4 | 4 | | 52 | 90 |
| New Brunswick | 4 | 14 | 12 | 159 | 260 | 382 |
| Quebec | 27 | 331 | 287 | 605 | 5.637 | 5,904 |
| Onterlo | В | 69 | 76 | 149 | 2,258 | 1,819 |
| Man! toba | 3 | 16 | 0 | 59 | 302 | 107 |
| Saskatchewan | 6 | 7 | | 7.3 | 103 | |
| Alberta | 3 | 5 | 15 | 3.3 | 137 | 337 |
| British Columbia | 2 | 20 | 28 | 89 | 283 | 944 |
| Total Canada | 5.3 | 469 | 435 | 1.167 | 9.216 | 9.771 |

Failures by Industrial Groups and Size of Liabilities-July 1951

(Liabilities in thousands of dollars)

| | | Jul | y 1951 | | | January | to July 19 | 51 | | January | to July 19 | 50 |
|---------------------------|--------|-------------|------------------|--------|--------|-------------|------------------|---------|--------|-------------|------------------|---------|
| | Number | Per Cent | Current Lieb. | Total | Number | Per Cent | Current Liab. | Total | Number | Per Cent | Current Lieb. | Total |
| Mining & Manufacturing | 130 | 100.0 | 7,790 | 7,790 | 860 | 100.0 | 40,673 | 42,137 | 1,311 | 100.0 | 62,301 | 66,162 |
| Under \$5.000 | 29 | 22.3 | 81 | 81 | 150 | 17.4 | 434 | 434 | 161 | 12.3 | 440 | 448 |
| \$5,000 to \$25,000 | 39 | 30.0 | 470 | 470 | 377 | 43.8 | 4,493 | 4,493 | 601 | 45.8 | 7.577 | 7.577 |
| \$25,000 to \$100,000 | 47 | 36-1 | 2.453 | 2.453 | 245 | 28.5 | 11,997 | 11,997 | 406 | 31.0 | 19,351 | 19,351 |
| \$100,000 to \$1,000,000. | 14 | 10.8 | 3.556 | 3,556 | 84 | 9.8 | 18,926 | 19,400 | 140 | 10.7 | 30,148 | 34,009 |
| \$1,000,000 and Over | 1 | 0.8 | 1,230 | 1,230 | 4 | 0.5 | 4,823 | 5,813 | 3 | 0.2 | 4,777 | 4,777 |
| Wholesale Trade | 66 | 100.0 | 4,456 | 4,900 | 522 | 100.0 | 23,245 | 24,134 | 668 | 100.0 | 23,898 | 23,966 |
| Under \$5,000 | 7 | 10.6 | 21 | 21 | 76 | 14.0 | 224 | 224 | 108 | 10.2 | 282 | 292 |
| \$5,000 to \$25,000 | 30 | 45.9 | 409 | 409 | 267 | 51.1 | 3,287 | 3,287 | 313 | 46.8 | 4.167 | 4.167 |
| \$25,000 to \$100,000 | 21 | 31.0 | 925 | 925 | 139 | 26.6 | 6,607 | 6.607 | 199 | 29.8 | 9.886 | 9.886 |
| \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 | 7 | 10.6 | 2.214 | 2.658 | 38 | 7.3 | 8,240 | 9,129 | 48 | 7.2 | 9,553 | 9,631 |
| \$1,000,000 and Over | í | 1.5 | 897 | 887 | 2 | 0.4 | 4.887 | 4,887 | | | | |
| \$1,000,000 ase Gver | | 1.3 | 987 | 407 | 2 | 0.0 | *,007 | 4,447 | ** | ** | •• | ** |
| Retail Trade | 340 | 100.0 | 4,778 | 4,778 | 2,571 | 100.0 | 45,684 | 45,767 | 2,734 | 100.0 | 47,834 | 47,844 |
| Under \$5,000 | 89 | 26.2 | 273 | 273 | 731 | 28.5 | 2,065 | 2,065 | 735 | 26.9 | 2,028 | 2,028 |
| \$5,000 to \$25,000 | 212 | 62.3 | 2,397 | 2,397 | 1,422 | 55.3 | 19,394 | 19,394 | 1,510 | 55.5 | 17,576 | 17,576 |
| \$25,000 to \$100,000 | 34 | 10.0 | 1,424 | 1,424 | 366 | 14.2 | 15,181 | 15,181 | 429 | 15.7 | 18.361 | 18,361 |
| \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 | 5 | 1.5 | 684 | 684 | 52 | 2.0 | 9.044 | 9,127 | 52 | 1.9 | 9.869 | 9,879 |
| \$1,000,000 and Over | ** | | | | ** | ** | | •• | | | ** | ** |
| Construction | 74 | 100.0 | 2,000 | 2,666 | 560 | 100.0 | 20,587 | 20,635 | 506 | 100.0 | 13,231 | 13,331 |
| Under \$5,000 | 14 | 18.9 | 33 | 33 | 97 | 17.3 | 280 | 290 | 96 | 19.0 | 260 | 260 |
| \$5,000 to \$25,000 | 36 | 48.7 | 512 | 512 | 290 | 51.8 | 3,651 | 3,651 | 261 | 51.6 | 3.220 | 3.228 |
| \$25,000 to \$100,000 | 20 | 27.0 | 903 | 903 | 130 | 23.2 | 5,815 | 5,815 | 121 | 23.9 | 5,234 | 5,234 |
| \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 | 4 | 5.4 | 1.218 | 1,218 | 42 | 7.5 | 9,841 | 9,889 | 28 | 5.5 | 4,509 | 4,609 |
| \$1,000,000 and Over | | | | | 1 | 0.2 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | | |
| Commercial Service | 55 | 100.0 | 1,398 | 1,398 | 405 | 100.0 | 9,586 | 9,675 | 439 | 100.0 | 10,770 | 13,127 |
| Under \$5,000 | 11 | 20.0 | 28 | 28 | 90 | 24.4 | 284 | 284 | 105 | 23.9 | 294 | 294 |
| \$5,000 to \$25,000 | 30 | 54.6 | 360 | 360 | 213 | 52.6 | 2,562 | 2.562 | 220 | 50.1 | 2,616 | 2,616 |
| \$25,000 to \$100,000 | 12 | 21.8 | 452 | 452 | 70 | 19.5 | 3,319 | 3.319 | 98 | 22.3 | 4,481 | 4,481 |
| \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 | 2 | 3.6 | 558 | 558 | 14 | 3.5 | 3,421 | 3,510 | 16 | 3.7 | 3,379 | 5,736 |
| \$1,000,000 and Over | | ** | ** | ** | | | | | | ** | | 2,130 |
| Total United States | 665 | 100.0 | 21,088 | 21,532 | 4,918 | 100.0 | 139,775 | 142,348 | 5,658 | 100.0 | 158,024 | 164,430 |
| Under \$5,000 | 150 | 22.6 | 436 | 436 | 1.153 | 23.5 | 3,287 | 3.287 | 1.205 | 21.3 | 3,312 | 3,312 |
| \$5,000 to \$25,000 | 347 | 52.2 | 4,149 | 4,148 | 2,569 | 52.2 | 33,387 | 33,387 | 2.913 | 51.5 | 35,164 | 35,164 |
| \$25,000 to \$100,000 | 134 | 20.1 | 6,157 | 6,157 | 959 | 19.5 | 42,919 | 42,919 | 1,253 | 22.1 | 57.313 | 57,313 |
| \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 | 32 | 4.8 | 8,230 | 8,674 | 230 | 4.7 | 49,472 | 51.055 | 284 | 5.0 | 57.458 | 63.864 |
| \$1,000,000 and Over | 32 | 0.3 | 2,117 | 2.117 | 7 | 0.1 | 10.710 | 11.700 | 200 | 0.1 | 4,777 | 4.777 |
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Failures by Federal Reserve Districts by Divisions of Industry—July 1951

(Liabilities in thousands of dollars)

| | | | | Liabilifies | In thou | ands of dol | lars) | | | | | |
|---------------------|-----|---------------------|-----|------------------|---------|------------------|-------|--------------------|-----|-------------------|------|--------------------|
| | | ning & facturing | | olesale Trade | Ret | all Trade | Con | struction | | mercial ervice | | Total ed States |
| Districts | No. | Current Lieb. | No. | Current Llab. | No. | Current Llab. | No. | Current Lieb. , | No. | Current Llab. | No - | Current Llab. |
| Boston(1) | 15 | 1,289 | 3 | 20 | 33 | 425 | 2 | 34 | 4 | 42 | 57 | 1,810 |
| New York 121 | 57 | 3.732 | 16 | 411 | 122 | 1,454 | 1.1 | 235 | 12 | 641 | 218 | 6,473 |
| Philadelphia (3) | 6 | 130 | 7 | 1,541 | 15 | 197 | 5 | 42 | | | 33 | 1,910 |
| Cleveland (4) | 2 | 185 | 3 | 69 | 17 | 425 | 7 | 452 | 5 | 105 | 34 | 1,236 |
| #1chmond | 4 | 149 | 2 | 48 | 13 | 144 | 2 | 28 | 2 | | 23 | 391 |
| Atlanta | 4 | 806 | 3 | 114 | 13 | . 223 | 3 | 526 | 1 | 22 | 24 | 1,685 |
| Chicego | 15 | 655 | 7 | 906 | 30 | 242 | 7 | 115 | 5 | 113 | 64 | 2,031 |
| St. Louis 181 | 3 | 367 | 2 | 47 | 5 | 33 | | 22 | 1 | 7 | 12 | 476 |
| Minneapolis (9) | 1 | 31 | 2 | 32 | 4 | 45 | | 2 | 1 | 13 | 9 | 123 |
| Kansas City | 3 | 81 | 3 | 57 | 4 | 178 | .1 | 55 | 2 | 32 | 13 | 403 |
| Dallas | 1 | 52 | 5 | 116 | 6 | 94 | 2 | 37 | 1 | 21 | 15 | 320 |
| San francisco(12) | 19 | 313 | 13 | 1,095 | 78 | 1,318 | 32 | 1,118 | 21 | 386 | 163 | 4,230 |
| Total United States | 130 | 7,790 | 66 | 4,456 | 340 | 4,778 | 74 | 2,666 | 5.5 | 1,398 | 665 | 21.088 |

Dun's Failure Index

(Apparent Annual Number of Failures per 10,000 Enterprises)

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|---------------|------|------|------|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|----------|-----------|-----------|------|------|
| | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1948 | 1947 | 1946 | 1945 | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1948 | 1947 | 1946 | 1945 |
| January | 34.0 | 30.5 | 25.7 | 16.7 | 10.2 | 4.7 | 5.1 | 31.5 | 36.0 | 23.0 | 15.3 | 9.3 | 4.3 | 4.6 |
| februarv | 31.0 | 41.0 | 35.2 | 23.0 | 13,8 | 6.1 | 4.8 | 26.3 | 34.5 | 29.8 | 19.5 | 11.8 | 5.3 | 4.1 |
| March | 31.2 | 36.4 | 35.5 | 21.3 | 12.4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 28.9 | 33.4 | 32.9 | 19.7 | 11.5 | 4.5 | 4.7 |
| April | 31.9 | 36.0 | 38.1 | 18.5 | 13.5 | 4.5 | 5.7 | 29.3 | 33.0 | 35.0 | 17.0 | 12.4 | 4.1 | 5.2 |
| May | 33.5 | 37.6 | 34.9 | 20.2 | 18.2 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 31.6 | 35.5 | 33.2 | 19.2 | 17.3 | 4.5 | 4.2 |
| Jung | 31.2 | 31.2 | 35.7 | 21.0 | 14.1 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 31.5 | 31.5 | 36.1 | 21.2 | 14.4 | 3.8 | 3.0 |
| July | 30.7 | 31.2 | 32.2 | 18.9 | 14.2 | 3.9 | 4.5 | 33.0 | 33.5 | 34.6 | 20.3 | 15.3 | 4.1 | 4.9 |
| August | | 32.7 | 33.5 | 19.6 | 13.4 | 4.6 | 3.2 | **** | 37.2 | 38.1 | 22.3 | 15.2 | 5.2 | 3.6 |
| September | | 29.5 | 32.7 | 18.4 | 14.2 | 5.4 | 4.2 | | 35.1 | 38.5 | 21.9 | 16.9 | 6.5 | 5.1 |
| October | | 32.3 | 35.7 | 21.1 | 15.5 | 6.3 | 3.7 | **** | 35.5 | 39.7 | 24.0 | 17.4 | 7.1 | 4.0 |
| No vember | | 33.7 | 40.5 | 22.9 | 17.3 | 5.9 | 3.8 | **** | 33.7 | 40.5 | 22.9 | 17.1 | 5.8 | 3.8 |
| December | | 30.9 | 33.0 | 23.3 | 14.8 | 7.4 | 2.5 | | 32.5 | 34.0 | 23.5 | 15.1 | 7.4 | 2.5 |
| Mo. Average | 32.1 | 34.3 | 34.4 | 20.4 | 14.3 | 5.2 | 4.2 | | | | | | **** | |
| Mo. Averager. | 24. | 2463 | | | | | | | | sted for | | variation | | |

CONSUMER SPENDING RESUMES RISE

Consumer spending rose perceptibly during the first three weeks of August following the seasonal lull of the previous month. However, as during the preceding month, total retail sales volume fell short of that of a year earlier when waves of scare-buying swept the country. Shoppers displayed heightened interest in apparel as merchants conducted many reduced-price promotions. The demand for consumer durables remained perfunctory despite the relaxation of credit curbs.

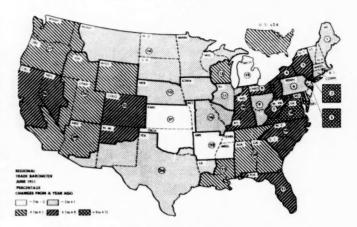
There was a modest rise in consumer spending in July according to the seasonally adjusted Dun's Review Regional Trade Barometer. The preliminary barometer for July at 353-7 (1935-1939=100) was 5.1 per cent above the preceding month and 3.8 per cent below July 1950, when an all-time record was reached. This was the first month since February 1950 in which the barometer was below a year earlier.

Total retail trade in July was estimated at \$11.3 billion; it was exceeded only by the very exceptional July of 1950, which was 9 per cent higher.

In June the final barometer set a new record for that month, 336.6. More than half of the barometers rose during June. Monthly changes ranged from down 10.5 per cent in the Minneapolis and St. Paul Region (14) to up 12.1 per cent in the North and South Carolina Region (19).

For the third time during the last year not all the barometers were above a year earlier. More of the regional barometers were below the levels of a year earlier than in any month since February 1950.

For the seventh time during the past year the Atlanta and Birming-ham Region (20) was the highest of all; for the sixth time during the same period the New England Region (1) was the lowest.



REGIONAL TRADE BAROMETER COMPARISONS

Adjusted for Seasonal Variation

| w 1= | (1935-1939 = 100) | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| *** | June 1951 | Change from June 1950 | May 1951 | Change from May 1951 | Comparison with U. S. | 1948 Retail Sales |
| REGION | | % | | % | % | % |
| United States | 336.6 | + 2.4 | 335.8 | + 0.2 | | 100.0 |
| t. New England | 242.4 | + 0.7 | 256.6 | - 5.5 | -28.0 | 6.1 |
| 2. New York City | 291.2 | +13.0 | 267.0 | + 9.1 | -13.5 | 7-7 |
| 3. Albany, Utica, and Syracuse | 320.7 | + 8.8 | 303.1 | + 5.8 | - 4.7 | 2.2 |
| 4. Buffalo and Rochester | 305.9 | + 8.0 | 318.3 | - 3.9 | - 9.1 | 1.7 |
| 5. Northern New Jersey | 260.5 | +10.0 | 257.3 | + 1.2 | -22.6 | 2.6 |
| 6. Philadelphia | 293.6 | - 1.6 | 296.6 | - 1.0 | -12.8 | 5.8 |
| 7. Pittsburgh | 301.6 | + 6.6 | 294.1 | + 2.9 | -10.4 | 3.6 |
| 8. Cleveland | 352.1 | + 7.4 | 335-7 | + 4.9 | + 4.6 | 2.8 |
| 9. Cincinnati and Columbus | 335.7 | + 0.9 | 330.6 | + 1.5 | - 0.3 | 3.0 |
| 10. Indianapolis and Louisville | 379.0 | + 5.1 | 376.8 | + 0.6 | +12.6 | 2.9 |
| 11. Chicago | 273.8 | 0.9 | 301.5 | - 9.2 | -18.7 | 6.6 |
| 12. Detroit | 342.3 | - 7.0 | 377.1 | - 9.2 | + 1.7 | 4-4 |
| 13. Milwaukee | 353.1 | + 1.9 | 367.0 | - 3.8 | + 4.9 | 2.1 |
| 14. Minneapolis and St. Paul | 303.8 | - 0.5 | 339-4 | -10.5 | - 9.7 | 4.2 |
| 15. Iowa and Nebraska | 324.1 | - 1.5 | 329.6 | - 1.7 | - 3.7 | 3.0 |
| 16. St. Louis | 297.3 | - 1.5 | 296.5 | + 0.3 | -11.7 | 2.6 |
| 17. Kansas City | 348.3 | - 3.6 | 355-5 | - 2.0 | + 3.5 | 3-4 |
| 18. Maryland and Virginia | 325.0 | +10.2 | 329.2 | - 1.3 | - 3.4 | 4.0 |
| 19. North and South Carolina. | 436.4 | + 6.6 | 389.4 | +12.1 | +29.6 | 2.6 |
| 20. Atlanta and Birmingham | 456.1 | + 2.9 | 426.0 | + 7.1 | +35.5 | 3.9 |
| 21. Florida | 424.4 | + 8.3 | 412.0 | + 3.0 | +26.1 | 1.8 |
| 22. Memphis | 377.0 | - 5.3 | 374-5 | + 0.7 | +12.0 | 1.7 |
| 23. New Orleans | 389.3 | + 3.6 | 387.0 | + 0.6 | +15.7 | 1.5 |
| 24. Texas | 433-7 | + 0.6 | 452.3 | - 4.1 | +28.8 | 5.6 |
| 25. Denver | 327.8 | + 7.8 | 323.0 | + 1.5 | - 2.6 | 1.4 |
| 26. Salt Lake City | 343-7 | + 2.4 | 328.4 | + 4.7 | + 2.1 | 0.9 |
| 27. Portland and Seattle | 360.3 | + 3.8 | 380.7 | - 5-4 | + 7.0 | 3.0 |
| 28. San Francisco | 363.9 | + 6.3 | 347-9 | + 4.6 | + 8.1 | 4.0 |
| 29. Los Angeles | 367.1 | + 4.6 | 357-3 | + 2.7 | + 9.1 | 4.9 |
| Revised. | | | | | | |

Region 1

JUNE—Barometer up fractionally, 5.5% below a year ago; 28% below U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Boston down slightly from a year ago; Manchester up 2%, Providence down 4%.

JULY—Department store sales in New England 7% below the level of a year ago. Dip in industrial production deeper than usual for this season. Decline in soft goods production. Collections somewhat slower than a year earlier.

Region 2

June—Barometer up sharply and 9.1% above a year earlier; 13.5% below U. S. Wholesale order volume in New York City down noticeably but still well above a year ago. Bridgeport volume up 3%.

Jux Department store sales in New York City down 5% from a year ago; apparel store sales down 4%. Production down as vacations and conversions occur. Rate of collections virtually unchanged from that of a year ago.

Region 3

JUNE—Barometer up moderately and 5.8% above a year ago; 4.7% below U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Albany 10% above last year's level, Syracuse up 7%, and Utica volume up 31% from 1950. JULY—Syracuse department store sales down 4% from a year ago. Output of soft goods declined as inventories remained swollen. Vacations cut into production. Rate of collections not quite as prompt as that of a year ago.

Region 4

June—Barometer up moderately but 3.9% below a year ago; 9.1% below U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Buffalo held even, well above a year earlier; Rochester down 2%, Elmira unchanged.

JULY—Department store sales in Buffalo 5% below the level of a year ago; in Rochester down 6%. Buffalo flour output 11% below the level of a year ago. Steel output unchanged at 104% of capacity. Collections somewhat slower.

Region 5

JUNE—Barometer up sharply and 1.2% above a year ago; 22.6% below U. S. barometer. Volume of wholesale orders in Newark down moderately from the comparable level of a year earlier.

JULY—Department store sales in Newark 9% below the level of a year ago. Layoffs increased in many soft goods plants. Defense output unchanged. The rate of collections was down perceptibly from that of a year ago.

The Dun's Review Regional Trade Barometers are designed to reflect changes in consumer purchases of commodities in the United States and 29 regions. A description of the barometer and back figures are available without charge.

The regional trade summaries are based upon data collected and weighed by the local Dun & Branstnetr offices. Department store sales, reported by the Federal Reserve District Banks, are for the four weeks ended July 28, 1951.

Region 6

June—Barometer down slightly and 1% below the year earlier; 12.8% below U. S. Wholesale volume in Philadelphia 3% higher than a year ago, Wilmington and Trenton up 5%.

July—Philadelphia department store sales 8% below a year ago; apparel store sales up 2%. Philadelphia steel output up slightly to 101% of capacity. Vacations and conversions reduced production slightly. Collections slower.

Region 7

June—Barometer up 6.6% and 2.9% above a year ago; 10.4% below U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Pittsburgh 2% higher than a year ago, Wheeling down 5%, and Erie up 2%. July—Pittsburgh department store

July—Pittsburgh department store sales 15% lower than a year ago; Erie sales down 5%. Steel output in Pittsburgh dipped to 97% of capacity, Youngstown up to 102%, Wheeling down to 99%. Collections not as prompt.

Region 8

June—Barometer up moderately and 4.9% above a year ago; 4.6% above U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Cleveland 2% above a year ago, Akron down 10%, and Canton up 6% from 1950.

July—Akron department store sales 14% below the comparable 1950 level, Cleveland down 13%, Toledo down 12%. Steel output in Cleveland dipped to 97% of capacity. Payrolls down, conversion hindered output. Collections even.

Region 9

June—Barometer up fractionally and 1.5% above a year ago; 0.3% above U. S. Volume of wholesale orders in Cincinnati unchanged from a year ago, Columbus down 2%, and Dayton down 6%.

July—Cincinnati department store

July—Cincinnati department store sales 14% below a year earlier, Columbus sales down 12%. Onerous inventories hampered production. Payrolls still near peak. Rate of collections not quite as prompt as that of a year earlier.

Region 10

JUNE—Barometer up slightly and 0.6% above a year ago; 12.6% above U. S. Indianapolis wholesale volume 14% higher than a year ago; Fort Wayne up 3%; volume in Evansville unchanged.

JULY—Indianapolis department store sales 8% below the comparable 1950 level; Louisville sales down 19%. Decline in manufacturing continued as vacations and material shortages reduced output. The rate of collections unchanged.

Region 11

June—Barometer down fractionally and 9.2% below a year ago; 18.7% below U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Chicago 5% higher than a year ago; Springfield down 12%, Rockford up 2%.

JULY—Department store sales in Chicago 10% below a year ago. Steel output in Chicago down slightly to 104% of capacity. Shortages hampered production, but employment remained near record period. Collections slower.

Region 12

JUNE—Barometer down moderately and 9.2% below a year ago; 1.7% above U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Detroit down 2% from a year ago; Grand Rapids volume 5% higher.

Rapids volume 5% higher.

JULY—Detroit department store sales 17% below the level of a year ago. Steel production in Detroit down slightly to 102% of capacity. Automobile production 30% below a year ago. The rate of collections was even with a year ago.

Region 13

JUNE—Barometer up 1.9% but 3.8% below a year ago; 4.9% above U. S. barometer. Volume of wholesale trade in Madison even with a year ago, Milwaukee down 5%, Green Bay up 6%.

JULY—Department store sales in Milwaukee fell short of the level of a year ago by 13%. Production cutbacks more noticeable in soft goods. Defense output gains. The rate of collections virtually unchanged from that of a year ago.

Region 14

JUNE—Barometer down fractionally and 10.5% below a year ago; 9.7% below U. S. Wholesale volume in Minneapolis down 2% from a year ago; St. Paul up 5%, and Sioux Falls down 4%.

JULY—Department store sales in the Minneapolis Federal Reserve District 20% below a year ago. Minneapolis flour output down 7% from a year earlier. Output down as many plants closed for vacations. Collections slower.

Region 15

JUNI—Barometer down slightly and 1.7% below a year ago; 3.7% below U. S. Wholesale volume in Davenport up 10% from a year ago, Lincoln down 8%, Des Moines down 24%.

JULY—Aggregate volume of retail trade fell slightly during the month and was moderately below the unusually high level of a year ago. Seasonal rise in farm employment. Rate of collections not quite as prompt as a year ago.

Region 16

JUNE—Baromeer down slightly but fractionally above a year ago; 11.7% below U. S. barometer. The over-all volume of wholesale orders in St. Louis was 5% lower than that of June 1950.

JULY—St. Louis department store sales 16% below that of a year ago. Seel output in St. Louis down slightly to 95% of capacity. Total output reduced by vacations and shortages. Rate of collections about as prompt as a year ago.

Region 17

June—Barometer down slightly and 2% below a year ago; 3.5% above U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Kansas City down 5% from the level of a year earlier; Oklahoma City down 8%.

JULY—Department store sales in Kansas City 33% below the level of a year ago, Oklahoma City down 26%. Flour output in Kansas City 29% below a year ago, Wichita-Salina down 4%. Flood losses heavy. Collections delayed.

Region 18

JUNE—Barometer up noticeably but 1.3% below a year ago; 3.4% below U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Washington down 3% from a year ago, Baltimore up 2%, Richmond up 3%.

JULY—Department store sales in Balti-

JULY—Department store sales in Baltimore down 6% from a year ago, Washington sales down 16%. Production held even by conversion difficulties. The rate of collections was virtually unchanged from that of a year earlier.

Region 19

JUNE—Barometer up moderately and 12.1% above a year ago; 29.6% above U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Charleston and Raleigh 5% higher than a year ago; Asheville down 10%.

JULY—The aggregate volume of retail trade declined moderately to a point below that of a year ago. Despite many reduced price promotions inventories remained bulky. Industrial output unchanged. Collections even with 1050.

Region 20

JUNE—Barometer up slightly and 7.1% above a year ago; 35.5% above U. S. Volume of wholesale trade in Atlanta down 15% from a year ago, Montgomery down 2%, Augusta up 5%.

JULY—Department store sales in Atlanta down 17% from a year ago, Birmingham sales down 14%, Nashville down 9%, Augusta up 1%. Steel output unchanged at 99% of capacity. Collections slower.

Region 21

June—Barometer up moderately and 3.0% above a year ago; 26.1% above U. S. barometer. Jacksonville wholesale volume 3% higher than a year ago, Tampa up 34%, Miami up 5%.

JULY—Jacksonville department store sales 10% below the level of a year ago, Miami sales down 16%. Seasonal lull in trade. Payrolls declined somewhat. The rate of collections was slightly slower than that of a year earlier.

Region 22

June—Barometer down slightly but fractionally above a year ago; 12.0% above U. S. barometer. Volume of wholesale orders in Memphis 11% above a year ago, Little Rock up 3%.

July—Memphis department store sales 22% below a year ago; sales in Little Rock down 21%. Construction of defense plants continuing at record rate. The rate of collections was perceptibly slower than that of a year ago.

Region 23

JUNE—Barometer up slightly and fractionally above a year ago; 15.7% above U. S. barometer. Volume of wholesale orders in New Orleans 2% higher than a year ago, in Jackson down 15%...

JULY—Department store sales in New Orleans down 17% from a year ago. Louisiana crude oil production again 9% higher than that of a year earlier. Output hindered somewhat by seasonal factors. Collections slower.

Region 24

JUNE—Barometer up fractionally but 4.1% below a year ago; 28.8% above U. S. barometer. Shreveport wholesale trade down 3% from last year, Dallas up 5%, Fort Worth down 5%.

JULY—Dallas department store sales down 21% from a year ago, El Paso and Houston down 11%, San Antonio down 28%. Crude oil production in Texas 18% higher than that of a year ago. Rate of collections even. Region 25

JUNE—Barometer up moderately and 1.5% above a year ago; 2.6% below U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Denver 8% below that of a year ago; volume in Albuquerque down 3%.

JULY—Department store sales in Denver 20% less than that of a year ago. Promotions unable to lift trade to the high level of a year ago. Industrial expansion near peak. Total payrolls unchanged. Collections slower than 1950.

Region 26

JUNE—Barometer up slightly and 4.7% above a year ago; 2.1% above U. S. barometer. The total volume of wholesale trade in Salt Lake City exceeded the level of a year ago by 1%.

JULY—Department store sales in Salt Lake City fell short of the level of a year ago by 13%. Widespread construction of new facilities. Industrial output continued at record level. Collections less prompt than a year earlier.

Region 27

JUNE—Barometer up slightly but 5.4% below a year ago; 7% higher than U. S. Tacoma wholesale volume even with a year ago; volume in Seattle and Spokane down 5%. Portland down 7%.

down 5%, Portland down 7%.

JULY—Seattle department store sales
17% below the level of a year ago, Portland down 25%. Flour output in
Seattle-Tacoma 34% below the comparable 1950 level, Portland down 18%.
Rate of collections slower than 1950.

Region 28

JUNE—Barometer up moderately and 4.6% above a year ago; 8.1% above U. S. Volume of wholesale orders in San Francisco surpassed a year ago by 3%; Sacramento up 5%, Fresno down 10%.

JULY—Department store sales in San Francisco down 15% from a year ago, Oakland down 23%. Industrial production reduced seasonally. Inventories still rather unwieldy. Rate of collections unchanged from a year ago.

Region 29

JUNE—Barometer up slightly and 2.7%, above a year ago; 9.1% above U. S. barometer. Wholesale volume in Los Angeles 12% higher than a year ago, San Diego and Phoenix up 4%.

July—Los Angeles department store sales 24% below a year ago, San Diego sales down 21%. Crude oil production in California 10% higher than the year earlier. No discernible change in output. Collections even with 1950.